

EIGHTY-NINTH DAY**(Continued)****(Wednesday, June 21, 1939)**

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by President Stevenson.

Senate Resolution 103

Senator Pace, by unanimous consent, offered at this time the following resolution:

Whereas, The industrialization of Texas is a matter of great importance to the citizens of Texas; and

Whereas, The "Cavalcade of Texas," filmed under the direction of the Texas World's Fair Commission, is a picturization in technicolor of interesting and attractive scenes of Texans and Texas with its advantages and industries; and

Whereas, Said "Cavalcade of Texas" will be shown continuously at the New York World's Fair without charge and will doubtless be seen by thousands of people, thereby giving widespread publicity to Texas and its products; and

Whereas, Such picture has been viewed by a large majority of the members of the Senate at a special premiere and found to be interesting and instructive; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, That the Texas World's Fair Commission be congratulated for its efforts to advertise Texas, its industries and products, and that the picture, "Cavalcade of Texas," be given as wide distribution and publicity as possible in order to acquaint the world with the possibilities of Texas; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded under the seal of the Senate to the chairman and vice chairman of the Texas World's Fair Commission.

**PACE,
COLLIE.**

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Pace, and by unanimous consent, it was considered immediately and was adopted.

Reports of Standing Committees

By unanimous consent, the following reports were submitted at this time:

**Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.**

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Civil Jurisprudence, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 684, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing and authorizing that any bonds, interest thereon, or similar obligations, issued by any municipality or political subdivision of the State may be payable at the office of the State Treasurer,"

Have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report back to the Senate that it do pass and be not printed.

VAN ZANDT, Chairman.

**Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.**

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred

S. C. R. No. 63, by Hardin, Granting permission to H. H. Friar et al., to sue the State of Texas.

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be not printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

**Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.**

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 157, Urging the Government of the United States to make use of cotton twine instead of jute twine.

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be not printed.

SULAK, Chairman.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 72

Senator Sulak, by unanimous consent, offered at this time the following resolution:

Be it Resolved, That all necessary rules of the Senate and House and the joint rules of both Houses be suspended, and the same are hereby

suspended, so that the Senate can take up and consider and pass H. B. No. 419.

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Sulak and by unanimous consent, it was considered immediately.

The resolution was adopted.

House Bill 878 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Hill and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of H. B. No. 878 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 878, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1, of Senate Bill No. 94, Second Called Session, of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, Chapter 7, Special Laws of 1923."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 878 on Third Reading

Senator Hill moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 878 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalf	Winfield
Moffett	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalf	Winfield
Moffett	

House Bill 1096 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Hill and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of H. B. No. 1096 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 1096, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the appointive office of Assistant to the County Judge and to provide an equitable and sufficient salary thereto, repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 1096 on Third Reading

Senator Hill moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 1096 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hardin
Beck	Head
Brownlee	Hill
Burns	Isbell
Collie	Kelley
Cotten	Lanning
Graves	Lemens

Martin	Spears
Metcalfe	Stone
Moffett	of Galveston
Moore	Stone
Nelson	of Washington
Pace	Sulak
Redditt	Van Zandt
Roberts	Weinert
Shivers	Winfield
Small	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

House Bill 380 on Passage to Third Reading

On motion of Senator Nelson, and by unanimous consent, the vote by which House Bill No. 380 was passed heretofore by the Senate was reconsidered, and the vote by which the bill was passed to third reading was reconsidered; and the regular order of business was suspended, to permit further consideration of the bill at this time.

The President then laid before the Senate on its passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 380, A bill to be entitled "An Act applying to counties which have a population of five thousand, five hundred and eighty-six (5,586) in the Federal Census of 1930 and a scholastic population of one thousand, six hundred and ninety-four (1,694) in the scholastic year 1938-1939, and providing exemptions relative to tax rates, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Nelson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. No. 380, Sec. 2, by adding the following after the last word in said section:

" , provided however that the tax rate shall never be less than fifty cents"

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 380 on Third Reading

Senator Nelson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be sus-

pending and that H. B. No. 380 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalfe	Winfield
Moffett	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalfe	Winfield
Moffett	

House Bill 1141 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Kelley and by unanimous consent, Senate Rules 31a and 48 were suspended, and the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of H. B. No. 1141 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 1141, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a special road law for Frio County, Texas, providing that said County may fund or refund

the indebtedness outstanding against its Road and Bridge Fund as of June 12th, 1939, setting forth the method of operation; validating the indebtedness proposed to be funded or refunded; providing this law shall be cumulative of General Laws on the subject of roads and bridges and General Laws on funding or refunding bonds not in conflict herewith; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 1141 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 1141 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalf	Winfield
Moffett	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hardin
Beck	Head
Brownlee	Hill
Burns	Isbell
Collie	Kelley
Cotten	Lanning
Graves	Lemens

Martin	Spears
Metcalf	Stone
Moffett	of Galveston
Moore	Stone
Nelson	of Washington
Pace	Sulak
Redditt	Van Zandt
Roberts	Weinert
Shivers	Winfield
Small	

House Bill 1114 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Metcalfe and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of H. B. No. 1114 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 1114, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the taking of fish in Kimble, Kerr, Edwards, Real, Sutton, Bandera, Mason, Menard, Blanco, Llano, Kendall, or Gillespie Counties with any device equipped with more than two (2) hooks prohibiting the use of floats except in certain cases, except artificial bait used with a rod and reel and excepting a twenty (20) foot minnow seine for the purpose of taking minnows for bait; providing the size limits and bag limits for fish taken in said counties; providing a closed season from March 1st to June 1st; prohibiting the sale of any fresh water fish in said Counties; providing a penalty for any violation of this Act; repealing all General or Special Laws, in so far as they conflict with this Act; excepting any portion of Medina Lake, Buchanan Lake and Inks Lake from the provisions of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Metcalfe offered the following amendments to the bill:

(1)

Amend the bill by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting the following:

Sec. 1. It shall be unlawful in the Counties of Bandera, Kerr, Edwards, Real, Sutton, Mason, Menard, Blanco, Kendall, or Gillespie to take or attempt to take any fish by any method, means, or device equipped with more

than two (2) hooks, except artificial lures used with a rod and reel. Bottles, cans, and floats of any kind shall not be used unless the line to which the hooks are attached is tied securely to a stationary object or held by the fisherman. This shall not prohibit the use of a minnow seine not more than twenty (20) feet in length for the purpose of taking minnows for bait.

Sec. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person in any of the above named Counties to take or have in his possession any catfish less than nine (9) inches in length or any bass less than eleven (11) inches in length or any crappie less than seven (7) inches in length.

Sec. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person in the above named counties to take in any one day or to have in possession at any one time more than ten (10) bass or more than ten (10) catfish, or more than ten (10) crappie or more than fifteen (15) perch or more than ten (10) bream, or an aggregate or more than twenty (20) of all such fish. The taking of any fish in excess of the number herein allowed shall be a separate offense. It shall be unlawful for any person to take from any of the Counties named in this Act minnows for the purpose of sale, or to transport beyond the borders of any of said Counties more than two hundred (200) minnows taken from the waters of any of said Counties.

Sec. 4. It shall be unlawful in any of the above named Counties to take for the purpose of sale, or to offer for the purpose of sale, or to have in possession for the purpose of sale in said Counties, any catfish, perch, crappie, bream, or bass.

Sec. 5. It shall be unlawful during the months of March, April or May of any year, to take or attempt to take any fresh water fish in any of the Counties above named.

Sec. 6. Any person violating any provision of the Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than Five Dollars (\$5.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

Sec. 7. Provided that no portion of this Act shall include any part or portion of Medina Lake, Buchanan Lake and Inks Lake.

Sec. 8. The fact that the Counties named, comprising what is generally

known as the "Hill Country," require a more uniform and intelligent fish law to adequately conserve the fish in said Counties, and the fact that the further regulations contained in this Act are necessary for the preservation of the fish in said Counties creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring all bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

(2)

Amend the caption of the bill to read as follows:

"A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

An Act to prohibit the taking of fish in Kerr, Edwards, Real, Sutton, Bandera, Mason, Menard, Blanco, Kendall, or Gillespie Counties with any device equipped with more than two (2) hooks, prohibiting the use of floats except in certain cases, except artificial bait used with a rod and reel and excepting a twenty (20) foot minnow seine for the purpose of taking minnows for bait; providing size limits and bag limits for fish taken in said Counties; providing a closed season from March 1st to June 1st; prohibiting the sale of any fresh water fish in said Counties; providing a penalty for any violation of this Act; prohibiting the taking of minnows for the purpose of sale or transporting more than two hundred (200) minnows from any County named in this Act; repealing all General or Special Laws, in so far as they conflict with this Act; excepting any portion of Medina Lake, Buchanan Lake and Inks Lake from provisions of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The amendments were adopted severally.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 1114 on Third Reading

Senator Winfield moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 1114 be

placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalf	Winfield
Moffett	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalf	Winfield
Moffett	

House Concurrent Resolutions 200, 199, 201

The following resolution, previously received from the House, was laid before the Senate:

H. C. R. No. 200, Authorizing Tilford Moore to sue the State.

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Pace and by unanimous consent, it was considered immediately.

The resolution was adopted.

The following resolutions, previously received from the House, were laid before the Senate:

H. C. R. No. 199, Granting permission to the District Judges of the Counties of Dallas, Harris, Bexar, Tarrant, and Ellis to leave the State sometime during the years 1939 and 1940 on personal business and to take a vacation.

H. C. R. No. 201, Granting District Judges of certain Judicial Districts leave of absence from the State.

The resolutions were read, and by unanimous consent, they were considered at this time and were adopted severally.

Message from the House

A Clerk from the House was recognized to present the following message:

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas, June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

S. C. R. No. 71, Suspending certain Joint Rules for the purpose of considering House Bill No. 83.

The House has adopted the conference committee report on House Bill No. 933 by a viva voce vote.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to House Bill No. 836 by a viva voce vote.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to House Bill No. 990 by a viva voce vote.

The House has adopted the conference committee report on House Bill No. 1000 by a viva voce vote.

The House has adopted the conference committee report on House Bill No. 17 by a viva voce vote.

The House has adopted the conference committee report on House Bill No. 1061 by a viva voce vote.

The House has refused to adopt the conference report on H. B. No. 363 and requests the appointment of a new conference committee to adjust

the differences between the two Houses with instructions to delete Section 3 thereof. The following conferees have been appointed on part of the House: Kinard, Boyd, Hartzog, Heflin, Howard.

Respectfully submitted,
E. R. LINDLEY,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

House Bill 684 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Nelson and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of H. B. No. 684 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 684, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing and authorizing that any bonds, interest thereon, or similar obligations, issued by any municipality or political subdivision of the State may be payable at the office of the State Treasurer; designating and constituting the State Treasurer, Ex-officio Treasurer and fiscal agent of such municipalities and political subdivisions for such purposes; providing for the deposit and payment of funds by municipalities and political subdivisions with the State Treasurer for such purposes; providing that the State Treasurer shall cancel and return coupons and bonds that have matured or have been retired by purchase and shall at the request of the municipality or political subdivision remit balances remaining on hand for two years for which bonds have not been presented for payment, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 684 on Third Reading

Senator Nelson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 684 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Brownlee
Beck	Burns

Collie
Cotten
Graves
Hardin
Head
Hill
Isbell
Kelley
Lanning
Lemens
Martin
Metcalf
Moffett
Moore
Nelson

Pace
Redditt
Roberts
Shivers
Small
Spears
Stone
of Galveston
Stone
of Washington
Sulak
Van Zandt
Weinert
Winfield

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Moffett
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalf	

Nays—1

Winfield

Absent

Moore

House Bill 792 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Small and by unanimous consent, Senate Rules 31a and 48 were suspended, and the regular order of business was suspended, to permit consideration of H. B. No. 792 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 792, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 6053 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas

of 1925 by providing regulations for the design, installation, construction and operation of containers and pertinent equipment for the storage, handling and transportation of butane or liquefied petroleum gases, empowering the Railroad Commission to alter and amend such regulations; providing that persons, firms and corporations engaged in the manufacture and/or assembly, sale or installation of liquefied gas storage and dispensing apparatus, and/or handling and/or transporting liquefied petroleum gas must have a license and must file with the Railroad Commission of Texas a bond protecting the public from injuries or loss arising from a violation of this Act; providing for filing an additional bond and/or additional security upon order of the Railroad Commission; providing for hearings on matters relating to the subject of this Act and on complaints filed against licensees hereunder; providing for attendance of witnesses at such hearings and rules for appeals from the decision of the Railroad Commission; providing that funds derived from fees shall be used for the administration and enforcement of this Act and that any excess remaining shall go to the General Fund; providing for the giving of notice to utilities and licensees by the Commission of the proposed rules and regulations to be adopted and promulgated and the filing of written exceptions and objections by parties affected by such rules and regulations; providing that if any clause, provision, section or part of this Act shall be adjudged invalid, the remainder of this Act shall not be affected thereby, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Small offered the following amendments to the bill:

(1)

Amend H. B. No. 792, by striking out, in Section 2b (2) the following:

"For the purpose of defraying the expenses of administering this Act, each person, firm, association, corporation, or manufacturer engaged in the manufacture and/or assembly and sale of any apparatus to be used for the storage and/or dispensing of liquefied petroleum gas, shall, at the time of the issuance of such license,

and annually thereafter on or between September 1st and September 15th, of each calendar year pay to the Railroad Commission, a special fee of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00); each person, firm, association, corporation, or manufacturer engaged in the business of transporting or dispensing liquefied petroleum gas and/or the sale and/or installation of any apparatus, shall"

And substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"For the purpose of defraying the expenses of administering this Act, each person, firm, association, corporation, or manufacturer engaged in the manufacture and/or assembly and sale of any apparatus to be used for the storage and/or dispensing of liquefied petroleum gas, or engaged in the business of transporting or dispensing liquefied petroleum gas, and/or the sale and/or installation of any apparatus for the storage and/or dispensing of liquefied petroleum gas, shall"

SMALL,
METCALFE.

(2)

Amend H. B. No. 792, by striking out, in Section 2b (3), the following:

"No license shall be issued to any person, firm, association, corporation or manufacturer engaged in the manufacture and/or assembly and sale of any apparatus to be used for the storage and/or dispensing of liquefied petroleum gas unless such licensee shall first file with the Commission, under such rules and regulations as it may prescribe, a surety bond in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) with some bonding company authorized to do business in Texas as surety thereon; and no license shall be issued to any person, firm, association, corporation or manufacturer engaged in the business of transporting or dispensing liquefied petroleum gas; and/or the sale and/or installation of any apparatus, to be used in this State, for the storage and/or dispensing of liquefied petroleum gas"

And substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"No license shall be issued to any person, firm, association, corporation or manufacturer engaged in the manufacture and/or assembly and sale of

any apparatus to be used for the storage and/or dispensing of liquefied petroleum gas, or engaged in the business of transporting or dispensing liquefied petroleum gas, and/or the sale and/or the installation of any apparatus to be used in this State for the storage and/or dispensing of liquefied petroleum gas."

SMALL,
METCALFE.

(3)

Amend the caption to conform to changes in the body of the bill.

SMALL.
METCALFE.

The amendments were adopted severally.

Senator Burns offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. No. 792 by adding a new section to be numbered —.

The provisions of this Act shall not apply to the Counties of the Fifth Senatorial District.

Senator Van Zandt raised a point of order against consideration of the amendment on the ground that it is not germane to the original purpose of the bill.

The President sustained the point of order.

The bill then was passed to third reading.

House Bill 792 on Third Reading

Senator Small moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 792 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Lanning
Beck	Lemens
Brownlee	Martin
Collie	Metcalfe
Cotten	Moffett
Graves	Moore
Hardin	Nelson
Head	Pace
Hill	Redditt
Isbell	Roberts
Kelley	Shivers

Small	Sulak
Spears	Van Zandt
Stone	Weinert
of Galveston	Winfield
Stone	
of Washington	

Nays—1

Burns

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

Record of Votes

Senators Burns and Hill asked to be recorded as voting "nay" on the passage of the bill.

Bills and Resolution Signed

The President signed, in the presence of the Senate, the following enrolled bills and resolution:

S. B. No. 490, "An Act making an appropriation of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary to aid and facilitate the work to be performed by the Red Bluff Water Power Control District; provided that said appropriation shall be a loan to be repaid to the State of Texas out of the first revenues received by said District; and declaring an emergency."

S. C. R. No. 72, Suspending joint rules to permit passage of House Bill No. 419.

H. B. No. 684, "An Act providing and authorizing that any bonds, interest thereon, or similar obligations, issued by any municipality or political subdivision of the State may be payable at the office of the State Treasurer; designating and constituting the State Treasurer, Ex-officio Treasurer and fiscal agent of such municipalities and political subdivisions for such purposes; providing for the deposit and payment of funds by municipalities and political subdivisions with the State Treasurer for such purposes; providing that the State Treasurer shall cancel and return coupons and bonds that have matured or have been retired by purchase and shall at the request of the municipality or political subdivision remit balances remaining on hand for two years for which

bonds have not been presented for payment, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1096, "An Act to create the appointive office of Assistant to the County Judge in certain counties; and to provide an equitable and sufficient salary therefor; repealing all laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 878, "An Act to amend Section 1 of Senate Bill No. 94, Second Called Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, Chapter 7, Special Laws of 1923; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 926, "An Act appropriating the sum of Eight Hundred Eighty Thousand, Three Hundred Thirty-two (\$880,332.00) Dollars per year, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the next biennium beginning September 1, 1939, and ending August 31, 1941, from the General Revenue Fund for the purpose of promoting public school interests and assisting local districts in the teaching of vocational agriculture, home economics, trades and industries, general rehabilitation and rehabilitation for crippled children according to the Federal Laws governing vocational education, all of which shall be matched by Federal funds; providing for the administration, attaching conditions, regulations and limitation relative thereto, making various allocations of said appropriation; authorizing aid to such schools in accordance with the condition specified herein; providing for certain regulations concerning qualification of teachers; providing all costs of administering funds named in this Act shall be paid out of moneys appropriated in this Act under authority of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction under the direction of the State Board of Education; defining the powers of the State Board of Education and the State Superintendent; declaring the rule in event any provision of this Act is unconstitutional or invalid, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Senate Concurrent Resolution 63

On motion of Senator Hardin and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of S. C. R. No. 63 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate for consideration at this time:

S. C. R. No. 63, Authorizing H. H. Friar, et al. to sue the State in Nueces County, Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

House Bill 950 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Kelley and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of H. B. No. 950 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 950, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections two (2), four (4), five (5), seven (7), and eight b (8b), and to repeal Section eight (8) of H. B. No. 557, Acts of the Forty-fifth Legislature of the State of Texas as amended by S. B. No. 24 of the First Called Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature and H. B. No. 78 of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature; said Section two (2) to be amended by providing a definition of 'contract dealer,' and 'cash dealer,' and by providing that the term 'agent' shall comprehend 'transporting agent'; said Section four (4) to be amended so as to provide a license fee for cash dealers; said Section five (5) to be amended to provide for the bonding of commission merchants and contract dealers; said Section seven (7) to be amended so as to provide a maximum fine in the sum of \$200.00 for violation of the Act; said Section eight b (8b) to be amended so as to provide that the bonding requirements of this Act shall be applicable only to persons engaging in business as commission merchants or contract dealers; repealing Section eight (8) of said H. B. No. 557, providing a saving clause and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Kelley offered the following amendments to the bill:

(1)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Strike out the first paragraph of Section 1, beginning on line 42 and ending on line 46, page 1, and sub-

stituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. Section 2 of House Bill No. 557, Chapter 443, Acts of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, is hereby amended so that the same shall hereafter read as follows:

(2)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Strike out the first paragraph of Section 2, beginning with line 34 and ending with line 38, on page 2, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 2. Section 4 of House Bill No. 557, Chapter 443, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, is hereby amended so that same shall hereafter read as follows:"

(3)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Strike out the first paragraph of Section 3, commencing with line 8 and ending with line 12, page 4, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 3. Section 5 of House Bill No. 557, Chapter 443, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Senate Bill 24, Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, is hereby amended so that same shall hereafter read as follows:"

(4)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Strike out the first paragraph of Section 4, commencing with line 43 and ending with line 47, page 4, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 4. Section 7 of House Bill No. 557, Chapter 443, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, is hereby amended so that the same shall hereafter read as follows:"

(5)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Strike out the first paragraph of Section 6, commencing with line 30 and ending with line 34, page 5, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 6. Section 8b of House Bill No. 557, Chapter 443, Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, shall hereafter read as follows:"

(6)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Amend Section 2 by striking out the word "verified" in line 50, and substituting in lieu thereof the word "varied".

(7)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Amend Section 2, line 12, page 3, by striking out the words and figures "One Dollar (\$1.00)", and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Five Dollars (\$5.00)".

(8)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Amend Section 2, line 27, page 3, by striking out the word "vegetables", which appears immediately after "both" and immediately before "and", and inserting in lieu thereof "citrus fruits".

(9)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Amend Section 2, line 31, page 3, of said bill by striking out the words and figures "Ten Dollars (\$10.00)", and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twenty Dollars (\$20.00)".

(10)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Amend Section 2, lines 44 and 45, page 3, of said bill by striking out the words "a Certified Public Accountant", and inserting in lieu thereof "the State Auditor".

(11)

Amend House Bill No. 950 as follows:

Amend Section 2, lines 34, 36 and 43 on page 3 of said bill by striking out the word "Commission" in each of said lines, and inserting in each of said lines in lieu thereof "Department of Agriculture".

(12)

Amend House Bill No. 950 by striking out all of Section 5 of said bill.

The amendments were adopted severally.

The bill then was passed to third reading.

House Bill 950 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 950 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalfe	Winfield
Moffett	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—19

Aikin	Nelson
Brownlee	Roberts
Collie	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Stone
Head	of Galveston
Kelley	Sulak
Lanning	Van Zandt
Lemens	Weinert
Metcalfe	Winfield

Nays—5

Burns	Isbell
Cotten	Stone
Hill	of Washington

Absent

Beck	Pace
Martin	Redditt
Moffett	Spears
Moore	

Report of Conference Committee on House Bill 926 Adopted

Senator Aikin called for the consideration at this time of the report of the conference committee on H. B. No. 926, the report heretofore having been submitted and printed in the Journal.

The President laid the report before the Senate, and it was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
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Report of Conference Committee on House Bill 688

Senator Van Zandt submitted the following report of the conference committee appointed to adjust the differences between the two Houses on H. B. No. 688:

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your Conference Committee appointed to adjust the differences between the House and Senate on House Bill No. 688, beg leave to

submit the following report and recommend that it do pass in the form hereto attached.

Respectfully submitted,
VAN ZANDT,
PACE,
SMALL,

On the part of the Senate.

TARWATER,
HANKAMER,
PETSCH,
THORNTON,
KEITH,

On the part of the House.

H. B. No. 688.

A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

An Act amending Chapter 13, Acts Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature as amended; declaring the policy of the State with reference to building, maintaining and financing State designated roads; declaring the policy of the State with reference to financing the construction of county lateral roads; defining certain terms used throughout the Act; creating the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness, and prescribing the powers, duties and obligations of said Board; allocating revenue obtained from the occupation tax on the business of selling gasoline; creating a County and Road District Highway Fund and a Lateral Road Account designating the money to be placed in said funds, and prescribing the manner and purposes for which such funds shall be expended; authorizing the payment out of the County and Road District Highway Fund of certain bonds and warrants issued by the counties where the proceeds of such bonds and warrants were used in the construction of roads comprising the State System of Highways; providing for the allocation of funds credited to the Lateral Road account, to the several counties; prescribing the duties of Commissioners' Courts in expending Lateral Road Funds; providing for refunding certain county obligations and bonds; providing for the disposition of sinking funds on county bonds issued to build state designated highways; making an appropriation for the next bi-

ennium of monies coming into the County and Road District Highway Fund; providing for the handling of County Sinking Funds accumulated from the payment of certain road bonds and warrants; providing for the payment of certain Navigation District Bonds; making it a felony for any County Judge or County Commissioner to expend money coming from the Lateral Road Account contrary to the provisions of this Act and prescribing a penalty; making an appropriation for the administration of this Act; providing that if any section of this Act is unconstitutional, other portions of this Act shall not be affected thereby; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

I

That Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, as heretofore amended, be amended so as to be and read as follows:

Section 1. It is expressly recognized and declared that all highways now or heretofore constituting a part of the system of State Highways and that all roads not constituting a part of such system, which have been constructed in whole or in part from the proceeds of bonds, warrants, or other evidence of indebtedness issued by counties of the State of Texas, or by defined road districts of the State of Texas, under the laws authorizing the same, have been and are and will continue to be beneficial to the State of Texas at large, and have contributed to the general welfare, settlement and development of the entire State, and that, by reason of the foregoing, a heavy and undue burden was placed, and still rests, upon the counties and defined road districts and their inhabitants, and both a legal and moral obligation rests upon the State to compensate and reimburse such counties and defined road districts which, as aforesaid, have performed functions resting upon the State, and have paid expenses which were and are properly State expenses, all for the use and benefit of the State, and to the extent provided herein that the State provide funds for the further construction of roads not desig-

nated as a part of the State Highway System.

Having heretofore, by an Act of the Legislature (Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature in 1932) taken over, acquired and purchased the interest and equities of the various counties and defined road districts in and to the highways constituting a part of the system of then designated State Highways, it is further declared to be the policy of the State to take over, acquire, purchase and retain, the interest and equities of the various counties and defined road districts in and to the highways, not previously taken over, acquired and purchased and constituting on January 2, 1939, a part of the system of designated State Highways, and to acquire and purchase the interest and equities of the various counties and defined road districts in and to the roads not constituting a part of the system of designated State Highways as of January 2, 1939, and under the provisions of this Act to acquire such interest and equities in such roads hereafter to be constructed with money furnished by the State, and to reimburse said counties and districts therefor, and to provide for the acquisition, establishment, construction, extension and development of the system of designated State Highways of Texas, from some source of income other than the revenues derived from ad valorem taxes, it being expressly provided herein that the State is not assuming, and has not assumed, any obligation for the construction, extension and development of any of the highways thus acquired and purchased which do not constitute a part of the system of designated State Highways. And it is hereby determined that the further provisions of this Act constitute fair, just and equitable compensation, repayment and reimbursement to said counties and defined districts and for their aid and assistance to the State in the construction of State Highways and for the construction of said roads which are ancillary to but do not constitute a part of said system of State Highways, and fully discharges the legally implied obligations of the State to compensate, repay and reimburse the agencies of the State for expenses incurred at the instance and solicitation of the State, as well as for expenses in-

curred for the benefit of the State, and fully discharges the State's legally implied obligation to such counties and defined road districts to provide additional funds for the further construction of roads not designated as a part of the State Highway System.

Sec. 2. By the expression "defined road districts" or "road districts" or "district" used in this Act, is meant any defined road district of the State or any Justice or Commissioners' Precinct acting as a road district or any road district located in one or more than one county.

By the expression "roads" or "road" as used in this Act, is meant roads, road beds, bridges and culverts.

By the expression "highways", "State Highways" and "State designated Highways" are meant roads which prior to January 2, 1939, had become a part of the system of designated State Highways, including roads still constituting a part of such system on said date and those which theretofore constituted a part of such system, but whose status had been lost through change, relocation or abandonment, and including roads concerning which the State Highway Commission had prior to January 2, 1939, indicated its intention to designate, evidencing such intention in the official records or files.

All roads which prior to January 2, 1939, had not become a part of the system of State designated Highways, for convenience in this Act, are called "Lateral Roads."

The term "Board" as used in this Act, when the contrary is not clearly indicated, shall mean the "Board of County and District Road Indebtedness."

The term "fund" as used in this Act, when the contrary is not clearly indicated, shall mean the "County and District Highway Fund."

The expression "eligible obligations" as used in this Act shall mean obligations, the proceeds of which were actually expended on State designated Highways.

Sec. 3. All further improvement of said State Highway System shall be made under the exclusive and direct control of the State Highway Department and with appropriations made by the Legislature out of the State Highway Fund. Surveys, plans

and specifications and estimates for all further construction and improvement of said System shall be made, prepared and paid for by the State Highway Department. No further improvement of said System shall be made with the aid of or with any monies furnished by the counties except the acquisition of rights of way which may be furnished by the counties, their subdivisions or defined road districts. But this shall in no wise affect the carrying out of any binding contracts now existing between the State Highway Department and the Commissioners Court of any county, for such county, or for any defined road district. In the development of the System of State Highways and the maintenance thereof, the State Highway Commission shall, from funds available to the State Highway Department, provide:

(a) For the efficient maintenance of all highways comprising the State System.

(b) For the construction, in cooperation with the Federal Government to the extent of Federal Aid to the State, of highways of durable type of the greatest public necessity.

(c) For the construction of highways, perfecting and extending a correlated system of State Highways, independently from State Funds.

Sec. 4. All monies now or hereafter deposited in the State Treasury to the credit of the "State Highway Fund," including all Federal Aid money deposited to the credit of said Fund under the terms of the Federal Aid Highway Act, shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature for the specific purpose of the improvement of said System of State Highways by the State Highway Department.

Sec. 5. Each month the Comptroller of Public Accounts, after computing and ascertaining the maximum amount of refunds that may be due by the State on the business of selling gasoline, as provided in Section 17, Chapter 88, General Laws, Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, as amended by Chapter 104, General Laws, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, shall deduct same from the total occupation or excise tax paid on the business of selling gasoline, as imposed by Section 17, Chapter 98, General Laws, Acts of

the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature as amended; and, beginning with said taxes collected on and after October 1, 1932, shall, after deducting the said maximum amount of refunds, allocate and place the remainder of said occupation or excise tax on the business of selling gasoline, in the State Treasury as provided by law, in the proportion as follows: One-fourth of such occupation or excise tax shall go to, and be placed to the credit of, the Available Free School Fund; one-fourth of the same shall go to, and be placed to the credit of, a fund to be known as the 'County and Road District Highway Fund,' subject to the provisions and limitations of Section 3 of this Act; the remainder of such occupation or excise tax shall go to, and be placed to the credit of, the State Highway Fund, for the construction and maintenance of the public roads of the State, constituting and comprising the system of State Highways of Texas, as designated by the State Highway Commission of Texas.

Sec. 6. (a) All bonds, warrants or other evidences of indebtedness heretofore issued by counties or defined road districts of this State, which mature on or after January 1, 1933, insofar as amounts of same were issued for and the proceeds have been actually expended in the construction of roads, that constituted and comprised a part of the system of designated State Highways on September 17, 1932, or which subsequent to such date and prior to January 2, 1939, have been designated a part of the System of State Highways or any road that heretofore has constituted a part of said System and which has been or may be changed, relocated or abandoned, whether said indebtedness is now evidenced by the obligation originally issued or by refunding obligations or both, shall be eligible to participate in the distribution of the monies coming into said County and District Highway Fund, subject to the provisions of this Act; provided, that such indebtedness, the proceeds of which have been expended in the construction of roads, which have been designated as a part of the State Highway System after September 17, 1932, and prior to January 2, 1939, shall participate in said County and Road District Highway Fund as

of the date of the designation of said road as a part of the State system; provided further that any participation in said fund by any county or defined road district shall be less the amount of money which it was required to accumulate in the sinking fund under the provisions of the statutes and order of the Commissioners Court authorizing the issue of said eligible obligations, and the tax levy authorized at the time of issuance thereof for the time such obligations have run or may have run regardless of whether the full amount of said funds are, or may be, actually on hand and to the credit of the sinking funds of such county or defined road district. It is provided expressly in this connection that the term "sinking funds" shall include only those funds required under the law for the retirement of principal and shall not include any excess or surplus which may have been accumulated by any county or defined road district above the legal requirements. The amount of such eligible indebtedness shall be determined as hereinafter provided. Provided further that no State funds created or provided for by the terms of this Act shall be expended in the payment of any interest maturing on the amount of sinking funds required by the terms of this Act to be accumulated by the county or defined road district at the date of eligibility of its obligations.

In the event the State Highway Commission has, on a date prior to January 2, 1939 indicated its intention of designating as State Highways the public roads of any county or defined road district in this State, and has evidenced such intention in its official records or files, then the provisions of this Act shall apply as if the said roads had actually been designated prior to January 2, 1939.

"In addition to and regardless of the other provisions of this Act, all bonds voted by a county prior to January 2, 1939, in so far as amounts of same were or may be issued and the proceeds actually expended in the construction of roads which are a part of the designated system of State Highways, shall be eligible to participate in the distribution of the moneys coming into said county and Road District Highway Fund the same as provided for other bonds under this Act and as of the date

of the designation of said road as a part of the State System; and where such bonds were voted prior to the designation of the road as a State Highway, the county may issue and spend the proceeds on the construction of such road under contract and specifications to be approved by the State Highway Department, and when so expended the bonds shall be eligible to participate in the county and Road District Highway Fund the same as if the bonds were issued and expended prior to January 2, 1939."

(b) The Board of County and District Road Indebtedness, created by Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, consisting of the State Highway Engineer, State Comptroller of Public Accounts, and State Treasurer, is hereby continued and charged with the duties of administering this Act. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts shall be the Secretary of said Board and said Board shall elect its own chairman from its membership. The Board shall adopt its own rules consistent with this Act for the proceedings held hereunder, and shall have authority to call to its assistance in arriving at the amount of bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness eligible to participate in the County and Road District Highway Fund, any official or employee of this State, and shall avail itself of all data and information assembled in the administration of Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and said Board is hereby authorized to call on any County Judge or any County or State official or employee, and shall have full access to all the records, books and public documents for the purpose of obtaining any information which it may deem necessary and pertinent to its inquiry in arriving at the amount of bonds, warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness eligible to participate in the County and Road District Highway Fund.

(c) It shall be the duty of the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness, from the data and information furnished by the County Judges of the State, and by the Chairman of the State Highway Commission and by the State Comptroller of Public Accounts, and from such further investigation as said Board may deem necessary to ascertain and

determine the amount of indebtedness eligible under the provisions of this Section of this Act to participate in the moneys coming into said County and Road District Highway Fund. Whenever in the case of any particular issue of obligations the proceeds thereof shall have been expended partly on designated State highways, or highways heretofore constituting designated State Highways, and partly on roads which never have been designated State Highways, said Board shall ascertain and determine the amount of said obligations, the proceeds of which were actually expended on State Highways or on roads heretofore constituting State Highways, and said obligations to said amount and extent shall be eligible for participation in the moneys coming into the County and Road District Highway Fund, and said ascertainment and determination shall be certified to the County Judge by said Board and all of the unmatured outstanding obligations of said issue shall ratably have the benefit of said participation in said moneys. The ascertainment and determination by the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness, after reasonable notice and hearing, of the amount of any county or defined road district obligations eligible under the provisions of this Act to participate in any monies coming into the County and Road District Highway Fund, or as to the amount of any obligations, the proceeds of which were actually expended on State Highways, or on roads heretofore constituting State Highways, shall be final and conclusive and shall not be subject to review in any other tribunal. But said Board of County and District Road Indebtedness shall have the right at any time to correct any errors or mistakes it may have made.

(d) The Board shall make and keep a record of all county and defined road district eligible obligations, issue by issue, and a book shall be prepared and kept in which shall be recorded all eligible issues, maturity dates of principal and interest, rates of interest, and places of payment for each county and each defined road district; each issue and the data pertaining to same shall be listed separately. The Board shall keep a record of all vouchers issued.

(e) The State Treasurer shall keep a separate account for each

county and defined road district of any monies received for the credit of said county or defined road district pursuant to the provisions hereof.

(f) A list shall be compiled by the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness showing the amount ascertained and determined by it to be the eligible indebtedness of each county and defined road district, and a copy thereof shall be furnished to each County Judge in this State.

(g) From year to year, and not later than July 15th of each year, said Board shall ascertain and determine the sum necessary to pay the interest, principal, and sinking fund requirements on all eligible obligations for the next succeeding calendar year and shall estimate the sum which shall be applicable to the same, and shall, not later than August 1st of each year, give notice to the County Judge of each county of the estimated amount available for application to said interest, principal, and sinking fund requirements. In the event the amount so estimated to be applied to the payment of eligible obligations for any county or defined road district is sufficient to meet all maturing interest, principal, and sinking fund requirements, the Commissioners' Court may dispense with the collection of ad valorem levies for such calendar and/or fiscal year for such interest, principal, or sinking fund requirements. In the event the amount of payments so estimated to be applied is not sufficient to meet the maturing interest, principal, and sinking fund requirements, the County Commissioners' Court shall collect from taxes on the property in said respective counties and defined road districts, an amount of money equal to the difference between the amount of such requirements and the amount available for application. In this connection it is declared to be the intent of the Legislature that all contractual duties and obligations which may exist between any county and/or defined road district and the owner or holder of the present outstanding indebtedness of any county and/or defined road district, shall not be in any manner disturbed or impaired and shall remain inviolate. Any tax heretofore provided to be levied in support of any present outstanding indebtedness affected by the provisions of this Act shall continue

to be assessed, levied, and collected as originally provided; however, the collection of said tax may, by order of the Commissioners' Court, be lessened and reduced by the payments made, and to be made, thereon and in behalf of such indebtedness out of the County and Road District Highway Fund, as herein provided, and as succeeding Legislatures shall, by appropriation, make provisions therefor. The entire proceeds of all taxes collected on any eligible issue of bonds shall be remitted by the County Treasurer of each county collecting the same, together with a statement of the amount collected, to the State Treasurer and shall be held by the State Treasurer as ex-officio Treasurer of said county or defined road district for the benefit of the county or defined road district remitting the same, and be disbursed to meet the interest, principal, and sinking fund requirements on the eligible obligations of said county or defined road district.

In the event the amount of funds available to be applied to meet the maturing interest, principal, and sinking fund requirements in any calendar or fiscal year is not sufficient to satisfy such requirements, the moneys available in the County and Road District Highway Fund, as estimated and determined by the Board, shall be, for that calendar or fiscal year first applied to the payment and satisfaction of interest maturing on all eligible obligations during the particular calendar and/or fiscal year, and this payment is to be made ratably upon the interest on eligible obligations of the various counties or defined road districts; and if there is more of said moneys available than necessary to pay all of said interest, then such balance over the required interest payment for such year shall be distributed ratably to each issue of eligible obligations on the basis of the principal of eligible obligations and sinking fund requirements thereon maturing each year.

(h) On September 1st of each year after the Board has paid off and discharged all eligible obligations maturing during the preceding fiscal year, together with the interest on such obligations and the sinking fund requirements accruing thereon, out of the County and District Highway Fund, any surplus remaining in said Fund over and above three million dol-

lars which shall be carried forward as working capital or as a revolving fund shall be set aside and credited to an account which shall be known as "Lateral Road Account," provided however, all money on deposit with the State Treasurer in the County and Road District Highway Fund at the close of the day of August 31st, 1939, shall be held, used and applied exclusively to the payment of principal, interest and sinking fund requirements on indebtedness constituting eligible obligations under Chapter 13, Acts Third Called Session of the 42nd Legislature and amendments thereto in effect at the time this Act becomes effective.

As soon as practicable after the passage of this Act and before the Lateral Road Account is allocated to the counties, the Board shall determine the amount each county and each Defined Road District has paid since January 1st, 1933, under the provisions of Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the 42nd Legislature, as amended, toward its debt service upon bonds which at the time of payment were eligible to participate in the County and Road District Highway Fund, and shall deduct from the amount paid by such County or defined Road District any and all advancements made by the Board to such County or Defined Road District in adjusting, refunding or prepaying the eligible obligations of such county or Defined Road District, and after making such deductions, the Board shall credit the Lateral Road Account of each county or Defined Road District with the net balance contributed by such county or road district toward the retirement of said eligible obligations and said funds so credited to any county or defined road district may be used or expended by the counties and Defined Road Districts for the purposes authorized in this section.

Not later than September 15th of each year the said Board shall ascertain the exact amount of money which has been allocated to the said Lateral Road Account for such fiscal year and which at that time is available. The Board shall allocate to each county its proportionate part of the monies in said Lateral Road Account, which allocation shall be determined in the following manner:

(1) One-tenth of the money in said Account shall be allocated upon the

basis of area, determined by the ratio of the area of the county to the total area of the State.

(2) Two-tenths of the monies in said Account shall be allocated on the basis of population according to the last preceding Federal Census, determined by the ratio of the population of the county to the total population of the State.

(3) Three-tenths of the monies in said Account shall be allocated upon the basis of the number of motor vehicles registered during the last preceding registration year, determined by the ratio of the number of such vehicles registered in the county to the total number registered in the State as shown by the official report of the State Highway Department.

(4) Four-tenths of the monies in said Account shall be allocated to the counties on the basis of lateral road mileage, determined by the ratio of the mileage of the lateral roads in the county to the total mileage of lateral roads in the State as of January 1st, 1939, as shown by the records of the State-Federal Highway Planning Survey and the State Highway Department.

If the records of the Highway Department and the State-Federal Highway Planning Survey are such that, in the opinion of the Highway Commission or of any county, there is a reasonable doubt as to their accuracy, the Highway Commission may authorize an independent survey to be made of that county's lateral road mileage upon its own motion or on the application of said county. The expense of such survey shall be borne by the county.

The moneys allocated to each county from the Lateral Road Account shall be used by said county first for paying the principal, interest and sinking fund requirements maturing during the fiscal year for which such money was allocated to such county on bonds, warrants and other legal obligations issued prior to January 2nd, 1939, the proceeds of which were actually expended in acquiring rights-of-way for State designated highways, it being the intention of the Legislature to designate and set apart sufficient money to pay off and discharge said outstanding obligations incurred for right-of-way acquisition. Funds remaining in the Lateral Road

Fund of any county after the payment of said right-of-way obligations may be used by the county, under the direction of the Commissioners' Court, for any one or all of the following purposes: (a) for the acquisition of rights-of-way for county lateral roads and for the payment of legal obligations incurred therefor prior to January 2nd, 1939, (b) for the construction or improvement of county lateral roads, (c) for paying the principal, interest and sinking fund requirements of any bonds or warrants which were legally issued by such county or Road District prior to January 2nd, 1939, the proceeds of which were actually expended in the construction or improvement of lateral county roads, (d) for the purpose of supplementing funds appropriated by the United States Government for Works Progress Administration highway construction, Public Works Administration highway construction, and such other grants of Federal funds as may be made available to the counties of this State for county lateral road construction, and (e) for the purpose of cooperating with the State Highway Department and the Federal Government in the construction of farm-to-market roads.

After such allocation has been made to the several counties in the State, the Board shall in writing notify the Chairman of the Commissioners' Court of each county of the amount which has been credited to that county. After receiving said notice, the Commissioners' Court shall, within sixty days, notify the Board of the manner in which it has exercised its option as to the one or more specified uses of said money permitted under this Act.

In the event the Commissioners' Court of a county shall have elected to use all or any part of the money thus allocated to said county for the purpose of paying principal and interest or sinking fund requirements of its indebtedness for lateral roads, such money shall be applied pro rata to the payment of the debt service requirements of all issues of lateral road indebtedness of the county and all included defined road districts, in the proportion that the debt service requirements of each issue bears to the aggregate debt service requirements of all issues for that year. When any issue of obligations which

will receive aid under this section is already listed with the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness, the Board shall credit the amount applicable to said issue to the account of said issue in the State Treasury. As to all other issues of obligations, which will receive aid under this subsection (h), the Commissioners' Courts of the specific counties affected shall have the right if so desired to utilize the facilities of the State Board of County and District Road Indebtedness in paying the amounts of principal and interest on said issues substantially in the manner that payments are effected as to such eligible obligations.

In the event the Commissioners' Court of a county elects to use the money allocated to it from the Lateral Road Account for the construction of lateral roads, it shall notify, in writing, the said Board of its election to make such use of said money. Whereupon, said Board shall remit said money, or the part thereof to be utilized for such purpose, to the County Treasurer of such county, said money to be deposited by the County Treasurer in accordance with the law, and the same shall be utilized by the county, acting through the Commissioners' Court, for the construction of lateral roads. Each county may call upon the State Highway Commission to furnish adequate technical and engineering supervision in making surveys, preparing plans and specifications, preparing project proposals and supervising actual construction; the actual cost of such aid in supervision shall be paid by the county as a charge against its project.

In order that maximum benefits may be obtained in the expenditure of the State fund made available to the counties under this Act for the construction of county lateral roads, and so that the counties may have the benefit of widespread competition among contractors in bidding on such projects, such counties may, in their discretion, authorize the State Highway Commission to receive bids in Austin on all such construction in the same manner as is now provided by law for the award of contracts on State highways.

When any road which shall have been constructed by any county wholly from the County Lateral Road Account shall be designated by the State Highway Commission as a part

of the system of designated State highways, the designation of such road by the State Highway Commission shall constitute a full and complete discharge of any and all obligations of the State, moral, legal or implied, for the payment of such highway.

In the event the Commissioners' Court elects to cooperate with the Highway Department in the building of or in the construction of farm-to-market roads, it shall by proper resolution entered upon its minutes, authorize the State Treasurer to pay such funds to be so used over to the State Highway Department for use on certain designated projects. Regardless of how the funds allocated to the counties from the Lateral Road Account are used, the County Judge of each county shall file with the Board on or before October 1st, of each year, a verified report showing the manner in which the said funds have been expended, the nature and location of the roads constructed, and such other information as the Board may from time to time require.

(i) The County Commissioners' Court of any county may exercise the authority now conferred by law to issue refunding obligations for the purpose or refunding any eligible debt of the county or of any defined road district; and such refunding obligations, when validly issued, shall be eligible obligations within the meaning of this Act, if said Board of County and District Road Indebtedness shall approve the maturities of said refunding obligations and the rate of interest borne by them. In any instance where, in the opinion of said Board, the existing maturities of any issue of eligible obligations or any part thereof are such as to give the county or defined road district which issued them an inequitable or disproportionate participation in the monies coming into the County and Road District Highway Fund in any particular period, said Board, in its discretion, may require said issue or any part thereof to be refunded into refunding obligations bearing such rate of interest and having such maturities as may be satisfactory to the Board. And if said county or defined road district shall fail or refuse to effectuate such refunding within a reasonable time to be fixed by said Board, said obligations so re-

quired to be refunded, and all other obligations of said county or defined road district shall cease to be eligible for participation in said County and Road District Highway Fund until the requirements of said Board with respect to refunding shall be complied with.

The Board of County and District Road Indebtedness is hereby made the refunding agent of each county and as such agent is directed to cooperate with the Commissioners' Court of each county in affecting the necessary refunding of each issue of bonds; the Board shall prepare the necessary refunding orders for the Commissioners' Court, prepare the proceedings and act in an advisory and supervisory capacity to the end that the expense of refunding any issue of bonds may be reduced to the minimum. Provided that no commission, bonus, or premium shall be paid by any county or defined road district for the refunding of such obligations, and no County Treasurer shall receive any commission for handling of the funds derived from the refunding of such obligations. All actual expense incurred in the refunding of its eligible indebtedness, including cost of proceedings, printing, legal approval and interest adjustment, shall be chargeable against the money theretofore or thereafter collected from ad valorem taxes, or at the option of the Commissioners' Court conducting such refunding, may be paid from any other money under its control and available for the purpose, provided no obligations for such expense items shall be incurred or paid without affirmative approval by said Board.

(j) All monies to be deposited to the credit of the County and Road District Highway Fund, from September 1, 1939, to August 31, 1941, both inclusive, are hereby appropriated to said respective counties and defined road districts and shall be received, held, used and applied by the State Treasurer, as ex officio Treasurer of said respective counties and defined road districts, for the purposes and uses more specifically set forth in this Act, including the payment of principal, interest and sinking fund requirements on all eligible obligations maturing on and from September 1, 1939, to and including August 31, 1941, and each year thereafter until all of such eligible ob-

ligations are fully paid; and monies coming into the credit of the County and Road District Highway Fund with the State Treasurer and all monies remaining therein from the previous year shall be received and held by him as ex officio Treasurer of such counties and defined road districts, and shall first be subject to the appropriation for the payment of interest, principal and sinking funds maturing from time to time on said eligible obligations and then for the other uses specified and permitted in this Act.

(k) As payment of principal and/or interest becomes due upon such eligible obligations, the State Comptroller of Public Accounts shall issue his warrant to the State Treasurer for the payment thereof, and the State Treasurer shall pay the same at his office in Austin, Texas, or by remitting to the bank or trust company or other place of payment designated in the particular obligation. Such warrants or voucher claims shall show on their face that the proceeds of the same are to be applied by the paying agent to the payment of certain specified obligations or interest therein described, by giving the name of the county or defined road district by which they were issued, numbers, amounts and dates of maturities of the obligations and interest to be paid with instructions to the State Treasurer, paying agent, bank or trust company to return to the State Comptroller of Public Accounts such obligations and interest coupons when same are paid, and the State Comptroller of Public Accounts shall, upon receipt of said obligations and coupons, credit same on his records and send them, duly cancelled, to the Commissioners' Court of the appropriate county, which shall cause to be duly entered a record of such cancellation. In instances wherein counties or defined road districts therein shall have arranged with the Board to pay principal or interest thereon, of outstanding lateral road indebtedness, the Board, the State Comptroller of Public Accounts and the State Treasurer shall follow, insofar as practicable, the procedure prescribed in this subsection (k) for the payment of the principal and interest of eligible obligations.

(l) Expenses necessary to be incurred in the determination of the indebtedness of the counties and de-

financed road districts of the State, and in the discharge of the duties required for the payment of such obligations shall be paid from the County and Road District Highway Fund by warrant approved by the Chief Accountant, the State Comptroller of Public Accounts and one other member of said Board.

The compensation of all employees of said Board shall be fixed by the Legislature. All employees of said Board of County and District Road Indebtedness shall be bonded, the amount of such bond being set by the Board.

(m) All of the securities now on hand in which sinking funds collected for the benefit of outstanding eligible issues are invested, and all funds and securities hereafter acquired for the benefit of the entire outstanding balance of all eligible bond issues shall be forwarded within thirty (30) days from the effective date of this Act, and thereafter within thirty (30) days of the acquisition of such fund or securities, to the State Treasurer as ex-officio County Treasurer of the various counties and defined road districts. Provided that the cash now on hand in the sinking fund created for the benefit of outstanding eligible obligations may also be remitted, as above set forth, at the option of such county or defined road district. Any county, the Commissioners' Court of which fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of this Act in all things, including the levy, assessment, and collection of a tax and at a rate sufficient to pay all sums due or to become due, which the State is unable to pay or to provide each year the proportionate amount of sinking fund required to redeem its outstanding bonds at their maturity shall not participate in any of the benefits of this Act so long as such county fails or refuses to comply with the provisions thereof. The Board of County and District Road Indebtedness shall have and possess full authority to invest all such sinking funds, including all future sinking funds acquired in any manner whatsoever, in any eligible obligations of the various political subdivisions of this State, which mature within the current biennium in which such securities are purchased, and where there is on hand a sufficient amount of monies or securities to the credit of any one political sub-

division to retire some of its outstanding obligations, whether then due or not, the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness may, if it deems it advisable, purchase and cancel said obligations of such particular political sub-division, irrespective of maturity dates. Provided further, that any county which has selected a depository according to law and in which county such depository has qualified by giving surety bonds or by the deposit of adequate securities of the kind provided by law, which in the opinion of the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness is ample to cover the county deposits, and which county has not defaulted in the payment of any instalment of principal and/or interest on any county bonds for a period of five (5) years next preceding the date of the filing of its application for exemption, and in which county all sinking funds of all bond issues are in excess of the standard required by law and which county has levied for the current year adequate rates in support of outstanding bond issues and warrants as required by the Constitution and Statutes of said State, shall be exempt from the provisions of this sub-section (m) of this Act, and which exemption shall be obtained by such county in the manner and under conditions prescribed by the said Board of County and District Road Indebtedness. Said Board shall have the right to inspect the records of such county at any subsequent date to ascertain whether or not the facts warrant the continuation of the exemption. If at any time, in the opinion of the Board, counties that have been granted exemption under the provisions of this Act shall cease to comply with all the conditions under which the exemption has been granted, the Board shall notify the county to return all securities in which the sinking funds of eligible road bond issues are invested and the residue in said sinking funds, and to begin immediately forwarding taxes levied and collected for the payment of interest and principal on all eligible road bond issues. Said counties whose exemption has been cancelled by said Board shall be given a period of thirty (30) days in which to comply with the demands of the Board. Provided further, that such county so exempt shall furnish the Board an annual statement of the

condition of the sinking funds of the several eligible road bond issues, together with a financial statement of the county depository. The Board shall have the right to withhold the payment of any maturity on any eligible road bond indebtedness where such county has failed or refused to comply with all the provisions of this Act.

(n) The Board shall keep adequate minutes of its proceedings and semi-annually, within thirty (30) days after February 28 and August 31, of each year, shall make itemized reports to each county with respect to the receipts, disbursements and investment of the funds credited to such county. The Commissioners' Court of any county, and/or its accredited representatives, shall have the right to inspect the records of said Board and of the State Treasurer, at any reasonable time for the purpose of making any investigation or audit of the accounts affecting its county.

(o) The Board shall, within ninety (90) days after the close of each fiscal year, make a complete accounting for the preceding year to the Governor of this State, showing in such report its acts, investments, changes in investments and sinking fund status of each county and each defined road district, and shall file copies of such report with the President of the Senate and with the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

(p) In the event this Act is repealed, or shall be or become inoperative as to any county or defined road district, then it shall be the duty of the Board to ascertain immediately the amount of monies and securities remaining on hand with it or with the State Treasurer belonging to the several counties or defined road districts affected, and forthwith to return the same to the County Treasurer of the County entitled thereto, accompanied by an itemized statement of the account of the county or defined road district.

(q) All funds on hand belonging to, and hereafter credited to, the several counties and defined road districts of the State, shall be considered State funds, and as such shall be deposited at intervals in the depositories provided for by the State laws, and all interest earned on such funds and on the securities in which the sinking funds are invested shall be-

long to said counties or defined road districts, and shall be credited to them by the State Treasurer as earned and collected.

(r) Upon notice from the Board of the amount that such county or defined road district shall be required to pay toward any instalment of interest or maturing principal, the County Treasurer of such county shall, not later than twenty (20) days prior to the maturity date of such interest, principal, or sinking fund requirements, forward to the State Treasurer the amount fixed by the Board as being necessary to supplement the amounts previously placed to the credit of any such county or defined road district by said Board under the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 7. All bonds heretofore issued by Navigation Districts of this State, which mature on or after January 1, 1933, and insofar as amounts of same were issued for and the proceeds thereof actually expended in the construction of bridges across any stream or streams or any other waterways upon any highway that constituted and comprised a part of the system of designated State Highways on September 17, 1932, shall hereafter be included within and eligible under the provisions of Chapter Thirteen of the Acts of the Forty-second Legislature of Texas, passed at its Third Called Session, as amended by the Acts of the Forty-third Legislature of Texas, Regular Session, to the extent that the proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall have been actually expended in the construction of such bridges; and in such cases the outstanding bonds of said Navigation Districts in an amount equal to the amount so expended by such navigation districts shall be redeemed under the same conditions as is provided by said Chapter Thirteen, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature of Texas, Third Called Session, as amended by the Acts of the Forty-third Legislature of Texas, Regular Session, for the redemption of County and Road District Bonds.

It is expressly provided that the Board of County and Road District Bond Indebtedness shall not be authorized to give the bonds herein referred to preference over other similar bonds eligible under said Bond Act; and it is further expressly provided that said Board in determining

the amount of bonds eligible for assumption shall take into consideration the amount of the bond money expended for the construction of said bridge and the balance due on said amount of bonds used in the construction of said bridge at the effective date of this Act; and in no event shall said Board be authorized to assume in excess of the balance due on the bonds for the said bridge construction at the effective date of this Act.

Sec. 8. No provision of this Act shall be construed to authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State to any county or district or to pledge the credit of the State in any manner whatever for the payment of any of the outstanding road indebtedness herein referred to of the counties or districts of the State. It is hereby declared that all eligible indebtedness, as herein defined, shall remain indebtedness of the respective counties or defined road districts which issued it, and said counties or defined road districts shall remain liable on said indebtedness according to its terms and tenor; and it is not the purpose or intention of this Act, or any part hereof, to obligate the State of Texas directly or indirectly or contingently, for the payment of any such obligations or that the State of Texas should assume the payment of said obligations, and this Act is not to be construed as obligating the State of Texas to the holders, of any of said obligations to make any payment of the same, or any part thereof, nor shall such holders have any rights to enforce the appropriation of any of the monies hereinabove provided for, nor shall any provision hereof constitute a contract on the part of the State to make money available to any county for the construction of additional lateral roads, but the provisions hereof are intended solely to compensate, repay and reimburse said counties and districts for the aid and assistance they have given to the State in furnishing, advancing and contributing money for building and constructing State Highways and lateral roads, to provide for the use and application by said counties and districts of the monies which they may receive under the provisions of this Act, and under the circumstances prescribed in this Act to provide additional money to counties for the

construction of additional lateral roads.

Sec. 9. It shall be unlawful for any County Judge or any County Commissioner, while acting in his official capacity or otherwise, to use any money out of the Lateral Road Account for any purpose except the purposes enumerated in this Act. If any County Judge or any County Commissioner shall knowingly expend or use, or vote for the use or agree to expend or use any sum of money accruing to any county in this State from the Lateral Road Account, for any purpose not authorized by this Act or shall knowingly make any false statement concerning the expenditure of any such money, he shall be deemed guilty of a felony and upon conviction shall be punished by confinement in the State penitentiary for not less than two years or more than five years.

Sec. 10. If succeeding Legislatures shall continue to carry out the policy herein defined by authorizing a similar appropriation of funds from time to time, (a) then whenever the eligible obligations shall have been fully paid as herein provided, as to, or for any county or defined road district according to the provisions of this Act, then and in that event, the title and possession of all roads, roadbeds, bridges and culverts, in such county or defined road district which are included in the system of designated State Highways, shall automatically vest in fee simple in the State of Texas, and in the event of any subsequent physical change therein, such title and possession shall extend to any such change so made; and (b) whenever the interest and principal necessary to retire the outstanding indebtedness owed for lateral roads shall have been fully paid as herein provided, as to, or for any county or defined road district according to the provisions of this Act, then and in that event, the title of all roads, roadbeds, bridges and culverts, in such county or defined road district pertaining to the lateral roads, constructed with the proceeds of such indebtedness, shall automatically vest in the State of Texas, but the possession thereof shall remain in such county or defined road district, and in the event of any subsequent physical change therein, such title and possession shall extend to any such change so made; provided that when

the right of way, or any part thereof, pertaining either to a State Highway or a lateral road, has been abandoned because of the abandonment of such road for all public purposes, and such right of way, or any part thereof, was donated by the owner of the land for right of way purposes, then and in that event the title to the said right of way shall vest in said owner, his heirs or assigns; provided, however, that nothing in this Act shall prevent the State Highway Commission from changing or abandoning any State Highway, and if the Commission shall change or abandon any State Highway in any county, the Commissioners' Court of such county shall have the right to assume jurisdiction over such portion of such highway so abandoned by the State Highway Commission. Likewise, the title to additional lateral roads when constructed shall vest in the State of Texas. Provided, however, that this Act neither imposes the obligation on, nor confers the right in the State of Texas, to maintain and lay out any roads except those constituting a part of the designated State Highway System as hereinabove in this Act defined. The obligation to maintain or lay out all other roads, including lateral roads and additional lateral roads as defined in this Act, shall remain undisturbed in the several Commissioners' Courts as agents of the State.

Sec. 11. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or provision of this Act shall, for any reason, be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any other portion of this Act or the application of such section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or provision to any other person or situation, but this Act shall be construed and enforced as if such invalid provisions had not been contained therein.

Sec. 12. To supplement the regular biannual appropriation made in the departmental appropriation bill for the support and maintenance of the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness, and the Treasury Department, there is hereby appropriated out of the County and District Highway Fund not otherwise appropriated for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1940, the sum of Sixteen Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$16,500.00) to be expended by said Board for additional employees and expenses as follows, to-wit:

**Board of County and District
Road Indebtedness**

Chief Auditor	\$ 3,000.00
Bond Clerk	1,800.00
Stenographer	1,350.00
Traveling Expense	5,050.00
Printing & Stationery....	500.00

TOTAL \$11,700.00

Treasury Department

Chief Auditor	\$ 3,000.00
Bond Clerk	1,800.00

TOTAL \$ 4,800.00

GRAND TOTAL \$16,500.00

And to supplement the regular appropriation for the year ending August 31, 1941, there is appropriated out of the County and District Highway Fund, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000.00) to be expended by said Board as follows:

**Board of County and District
Road Indebtedness**

Chief Auditor	\$ 3,000.00
Bond Clerk	1,800.00
Stenographer	1,350.00
Traveling Expense	2,550.00
Printing & Stationery....	500.00

TOTAL \$ 9,200.00

Treasury Department

Chief Auditor	\$ 3,000.00
Bond Clerk	1,800.00

TOTAL \$ 4,800.00

GRAND TOTAL \$14,000.00

Sec. 13. This Act shall be cumulative of all other valid laws on the subject, but in the event of a conflict between any provision of this Act and any other Act, the provisions of this Act shall prevail.

Sec. 14. The fact that the present law governing the subject matter of this Act is inadequate creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in both Houses be suspended, and such rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 73

Senator Metcalfe, by unanimous consent, offered at this time the following resolution:

Be it Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the twenty-four hour rule, as set forth in Joint Rule No. 9, be suspended for the purpose of permitting the House to consider House Bill No. 545 until finally disposed of.

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Metcalfe and by unanimous consent, it was considered immediately and was adopted.

Committee Substitute for House Bill 419 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Sulak and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of C. S. H. B. No. 419 at this time.

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

C. S. H. B. No. 419, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 3 of House Bill No. 352, of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Chapter 436, page 893, exempting certain boilers from the provisions of said Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

Committee Substitute for House Bill 419 on Third Reading

Senator Sulak moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C. S. H. B. No. 419 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Kelley
Beck	Lanning
Brownlee	Lemens
Burns	Martin
Collie	Metcalfe
Cotten	Moffett
Graves	Nelson
Hardin	Pace
Head	Redditt
Hill	Roberts
Isbell	Shivers

Small	Sulak
Spears	Van Zandt
Stone	Weinert
of Galveston	Winfield
Stone	
of Washington	

Nays—1

Moore

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Moffett
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Hill	of Galveston
Isbell	Stone
Kelley	of Washington
Lanning	Sulak
Lemens	Van Zandt
Martin	Weinert
Metcalfe	Winfield

Nays—1

Moore

House Concurrent Resolution 157

On motion of Senator Stone of Washington and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to permit consideration of H. C. R. No. 157 at this time.

The President then laid before the Senate for immediate consideration:

H. C. R. No. 157, Urging the Government of the United States to make use of cotton twine instead of jute twine.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Report of Conference Committee on Senate Bill 111

Senator Stone of Washington submitted at this time the following report of the Conference Committee on S. B. No. 111:

Austin, Texas,
May 25, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House.

Sirs: We, your Conference Committee, appointed to adjust the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on S. B. No. 111, have had the same under consideration and we recommend to the Senate and to the House of Representatives that such bill pass in the form attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

WEINERT,
AIKIN,
STONE
of Washington,
SULAK,

On the part of the Senate.

CLEVELAND,
CHAMBERS,
TARWATER,
LANGDON,

On the part of the House.

A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

An Act to amend Chapter 93, Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature of the State of Texas; further defining the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture; providing certain safeguards for the purchasers of seed produced outside of Texas and shipped into Texas; providing that seed sold as Registered and Certified in Texas meet Texas standards; requiring permit to ship certain planting seed into Texas; clarifying certain terms used under the Seed Certification Program; providing penalties; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Amend Section 4 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws, First Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 4. (a) The Commissioner of Agriculture shall appoint a sufficient number of inspectors nominated by the State Seed and Plant Board to carry into effect the provisions of this Act. He shall cause inspections to be made of the fields and facilities of persons, firms, associations, or cor-

porations certified to him by the State Seed and Plant Board as eligible to qualify as Registered Plant Breeders and Certified Seed Growers. When such inspection reveals the fact that the growing crops of a Registered Plant Breeder from which it is proposed to produce Registered Seed show a high degree of purity, excellence, and freedom from plant diseases, transmissible through the agency of planting seed, that are required for Registered Seed and that such field or fields are reasonably free from noxious weed seeds and noxious grasses, and if such seed when produced show the high germination per cent determined to be necessary by the said State Seed and Plant Board for such seed, and are rendered reasonably free of foreign substances, he shall cause to be issued to such person, firm, association or corporation a certificate evidencing the fact that such person, firm, association, or corporation is recognized by the State as a Registered Plant Breeder, and shall cause to be printed tags for each sack or container of seed so produced and so registered and shall furnish such tags to the applicant at cost, which tags shall bear the words "State Registered Planting Seed" and which shall give in addition thereto the true and correct varietal name of such seed and such other information as he may deem necessary for the protection of the purchaser. If an inspection of the fields and premises of persons, firms, associations, or corporations certified to him as Certified Seed Growers reveals the fact that such fields are of the degree of purity and excellence required for Certified Seed by the State Seed and Plant Board, and if such fields are reasonably free from noxious weed seeds and noxious grass seeds, and free from plant diseases transmissible through the agency of planting seed, and that such seed when produced show the high germination per cent required by the State Seed and Plant Board, and are reasonably free of foreign substances, he shall issue to each applicant his Certificate evidencing the fact that he or it is recognized as a Certified Seed Grower, and shall cause to be issued tags at cost of printing to the Certified Seed Grower, which tags shall bear the words "State Certified Planting Seed" and shall give the true

and correct variety and such other information as he may deem necessary for the protection of the public. He shall collect prior to the making of the inspection such fees as may be determined by the said State Seed and Plant Board, which shall be deposited in the State Treasury and be credited to a fund to be known as the "Pure Seed Fund" and it shall be paid out by the Treasurer upon warrants issued by the Comptroller upon accounts approved by the Commissioner of Agriculture, for the payment of expenses incurred in the enforcement of this Act.

"(b) The Commissioner of Agriculture shall promulgate rules and regulations, tests and standards necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act under which cotton, alfalfa, corn and sorghum seed for planting purposes may be shipped into Texas and providing that no cotton, alfalfa, corn or sorghum seed for planting purposes may be shipped into Texas for planting purposes unless said seed meet the requirements as set forth by the Commissioner of Agriculture, and each lot of seed of one hundred (100) pounds or less, whether sacked or in bulk, approved for shipment into Texas shall bear a special tag issued by the Commissioner of Agriculture. Said Commissioner, through his agents, or specially appointed agents, may investigate the quality of the seed to be shipped into the State of Texas and provide such reasonable requirements as may be necessary to insure to the farmers and seed purchasers of this State seed of known origin, value, and merit; and further providing that the Commissioner of Agriculture shall have full authority to refuse permission to any applicant to ship cotton, alfalfa, corn or sorghum planting seed into Texas when the records and information of the agents of said Commissioner of Agriculture show the seed to be of inferior quality, lacking prescribed varietal purity, from diseased fields, or other reasons prescribed in the rules and regulations under the provisions of this Section.

"(c) The term Sorghum seed shall mean seed of grain, sweet and grass sorghum.

"(d) Providing that all persons, firms, or corporations seeking to ship cotton, alfalfa, corn or sorghum planting seed into Texas shall secure

a permit from the Commissioner of Agriculture prior to shipping any cotton, alfalfa, corn or sorghum planting seed into Texas. Said permit shall be valid for one year but may be cancelled prior to date of expiration for violation of any of the provisions of this Act or the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

"(e) Providing that any seed for planting purposes shipped into Texas without first complying with the provisions of the law and regulations promulgated hereunder, be considered restricted material and may be returned to the shipper at his expense. Said shipper shall be granted ten (10) days from date of notice to remove such seed from the State of Texas. Upon his refusal or failure to do so, the confiscation of such seed by the Commissioner of Agriculture or his agents is hereby authorized and without recourse on the State of Texas.

"(f) Providing that all planting seed shipped into Texas and bearing the label denoting Registered or Certified Seed shall have been produced under standards equal to the existing standards in Texas for such class of seed. Such seed coming into the State of Texas and being declared by the Commissioner of Agriculture not to have been produced under Registration and Certification standards equal to the Texas standards shall not bear the labels or be represented as Registered or Certified Seed, except as hereinafter provided for. Such seed may bear the Registration or Certification tag issued in the State of origin provided such tags are plainly marked "These seed do not meet the requirements of Registration or Certification in Texas."

"(g) Providing that the use of the Red or Blue tag on planting seed in Texas is prohibited except when used by duly qualified Registered Plant Breeders or Certified Seed Growers, or when such tags are plainly marked in bold type "Non-Registered" or "Non-Certified" seed.

"(h) Providing that the terms "from officially inspected fields," "State Inspected," "approved Seed," "Inspected fields," "first year from Certified Seed," "as good as Certified," and other similar terms be confined to a description of Registered and Certified Seed. Providing, however, that where such terms are used by firms, individuals, or corporations,

such written material shall plainly show the words "Non-Registered" or "Non-Certified."

"Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Section, or the rules and regulations adopted in accordance with this Act, or who shall sell or offer for sale in Texas cotton, alfalfa, corn or sorghum seed produced outside the confines of the State of Texas without a permit issued in accordance with the provisions of this Act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), or by imprisonment of not less than ten (10) days nor more than thirty (30) days in the county jail, or both, in the discretion of the Court. Each violation shall constitute a separate offense."

Sec. 2. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, or part of this Act shall be adjudged by any Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this Act, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, or any part thereof, directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment has been rendered.

Sec. 3. The fact that there is no law to adequately protect the public in the purchase of pure bred seed, true to name, from out-of-State sources and to protect the public in their purchase of Registered and Certified Seeds, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity, requiring the suspension of the constitutional rule which requires all bills to be read on three several days in each House, and said rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Report of Conference Committee on House Bill 1061 Adopted

Senator Shivers called for the consideration at this time of the report of the Conference Committee on H. B. No. 1061, the report having been submitted previously.

The President laid the report before the Senate, and it was adopted.

Report of Conference Committee on House Bill 17 Adopted

Senator Small called for the consideration at this time of the report of the Conference Committee on H. B. No. 17, the report having been submitted on yesterday and printed in the Journal of that day.

The President laid the report before the Senate.

Question—Shall the report be adopted?

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the report was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—20

Aikin	Moffett
Brownlee	Moore
Collie	Nelson
Graves	Roberts
Head	Shivers
Isbell	Small
Kelley	Spears
Lanning	Stone
Lemens	of Galveston
Martin	Winfield
Metcalf	

Nays—9

Beck	Stone
Burns	of Washington
Cotten	Sulak
Hardin	Van Zandt
Hill	Weinert

Absent

Pace	Redditt
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Report of Conference Committee on House Bill 688 Adopted

Senator Van Zandt called for the consideration at this time of the report of the conference committee on H. B. No. 688, the report heretofore having been submitted to the Senate.

The President laid the report before the Senate.

Question—Shall the report be adopted?

The report was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Moore
Beck	Nelson
Brownlee	Pace
Burns	Redditt
Collie	Roberts
Cotten	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Head	Stone
Isbell	of Galveston
Kelley	Stone
Lanning	of Washington
Lemens	Sulak
Martin	Van Zandt
Metcalfe	Winfield
Moffett	

Nays—1

Weinert

Absent

Hill

Report of Conference Committee on Senate Bill 111

Senator Stone of Washington called for the consideration at this time of the report of the conference committee on S. B. No. 111, the report having been submitted previously.

The President laid the report before the Senate, and it was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—16

Aikin	Roberts
Brownlee	Small
Graves	Stone
Lanning	of Galveston
Lemens	Stone
Moore	of Washington
Nelson	Sulak
Pace	Van Zandt
Redditt	Weinert

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Nays—11

Beck	Isbell
Burns	Kelley
Collie	Martin
Cotten	Spears
Hardin	Winfield
Head	

Absent

Hill	Moffett
Metcalfe	Shivers

Report of Conference Committee on House Bill 723

Senator Head submitted the following report of the conference committee appointed to adjust the differences between the two Houses on H. B. No. 723:

Austin, Texas,
June 19, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your Conference Committee, appointed to adjust the differences between the House and the Senate on House Bill No. 723, have met and beg leave to recommend that said House Bill No. 723 be passed in the form hereto attached.

Respectfully submitted,

FIELDEN,
COLSON,
MORRIS,
HARRELL of Bastrop,
COCKRELL,

On the part of the House;

HEAD,
LEMENS,
STONE of Washington,
WEINERT,

On the part of the Senate.

H. B. No. 723.

A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

An Act making appropriations to pay miscellaneous claims out of the General Fund, or such other funds as may be designated for each item, providing that before payment of any claim shall be paid from funds hereby appropriated the same shall have the approval of the State Comptroller, and the Attorney General, and provided further that any claim involving the refund of a franchise tax shall also carry the approval of the Secretary of State in addition to the other officials herein named; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as

may be necessary, be and the same are hereby appropriated to be paid out of the General Revenue Fund or such other funds as may be designated for each item to pay miscellaneous claims against the State of Texas as herein enumerated:

To pay as refund owners of cafes, restaurants, and other eating houses, moneys remitted by such persons to the Comptroller alleged to be due under the Chain Store Tax Act by such persons and which has been determined not due under said Chain Store Tax Act. Said funds are now held by the State Comptroller in the State Treasury. A sworn statement by the owner, when properly checked against the records of the Comptroller's Department, showing that said person has actually paid the money into the Treasury, shall be sufficient authority for the Comptroller to issue his warrant in refunding this money	\$ 17,721.61
To pay Allison's Drug Store, Wichita Falls, Texas, Warrant No. 197768, dated August 31, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	20.56
To pay American Historical Association, Washington, D. C., Warrant No. 184598, dated August 15, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	5.00
To pay First State Bank, Uvalde, Texas, Warrant No. 193526, dated July 13, 1933, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	78.00
To pay First State Bank, Gladewater, Texas, Warrant No. 172444, dated July 16, 1935, for the sum of \$8.32; Warrant No. 188229, dated August 23, 1936, for the sum of \$20.69; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	29.01
To pay A. J. Grout, Manatee, Florida, Warrant No. 121629, dated April 3, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	3.50
To pay Homer Johnson, Tahoka, Texas, Warrant No. 9721, dated September 22, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	5.60
To pay Mrs. Homer Johnson, Tahoka, Texas, Warrant No. 9722, dated September 22, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	5.60
To pay Grover E. Keepora, Kenedy, Texas, Warrant No. 170960, dated June 23, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	14.64
To pay Karnes City Citation, Karnes City, Texas, Warrant No. 198648, dated August 27, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	48.35
To pay Commanding Officer, Service Company, 111th Medical Regiment, Fort Worth, Texas, Warrant No. 56245, dated December 1, 1934, for the sum of \$7.50; Warrant No. 82730, dated January 31, 1935, for the sum of \$7.50; Warrant No. 89652, dated February 28, 1935, for the sum of \$7.50; Warrant No. 171872, dated July 3, 1935, for the sum of \$7.50; Warrant No. 3796, dated September 30, 1935, for the sum of \$7.50; Warrant No. 37242, dated November 30, 1935, for the sum of \$7.50; Warrant No. 56164, dated December 31, 1935, for the sum of \$7.50; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	52.50
To pay Anna Maxwell, Commerce, Texas, Warrant No. 149372, dated May 31, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	166.72
To pay I. M. Runnion, Wolfe City, Texas, Warrant No. 152121, dated June 6, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	2.50

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To pay Scurry County Depository, Snyder, Texas, Warrant No. 29522, dated October 21, 1932, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	84.00
To pay Case-Sheppard-Mann Publishing Corporation, New York, N. Y., Warrant No. 158653, dated June 8, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	3.00
To pay Fort Worth Well Machinery & Supply Company, Inc., Fort Worth, Texas, Warrant No. 68954, dated January 15, 1932, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	7.24
To pay University of Colorado Book Store, Boulder, Colorado, Warrant No. 82074, dated January 25, 1934, for the sum of \$1.47; Warrant No. 72067, dated January 10, 1935, for the sum of \$3.38; Warrant No. 93164, dated February 14, 1935, for the sum of \$5.60; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	10.45
To pay National Band & Tag Company, Newport, Kentucky, Warrant No. 35330, dated November 1, 1934, for the sum of \$48.00; Warrant No. 39959, dated November 14, 1934, for the sum of \$9.00; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	57.00
To pay Dr. Chas. M. Hoch, LaGrange, Texas, Warrant No. 2747, dated September 7, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	5.00
To pay A. B. Boyd, Abilene, Texas, Warrant No. 195240, dated August 31, 1934, for the sum of \$45.00; Warrant No. 160056, dated June 30, 1934, for the sum of \$45.00; Warrant No. 181303, dated July 31, 1934, for the sum of \$45.00; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	135.00
To pay Western Union Telegraph Company, Lubbock, Texas, Warrant No. 9815, dated September 25, 1933, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	2.06
To pay W. H. Smyth, Sheriff, Uvalde, Texas, Warrant No. 120413, dated March 19, 1936, for the sum of \$26.00; Warrant No. 12471, dated September 28, 1935, for the sum of \$5.80; Warrant No. 72042, dated September 21, 1935, for the sum of \$2.00; Warrant No. 70907, dated December 18, 1935, for the sum of \$1.50; Warrant No. 183528, dated July 21, 1936, for the sum of \$1.00; Warrant No. 180933, dated April 7, 1936, for the sum of \$0.65; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	36.95
To pay C. H. Martin, Temple, Texas, Warrant No. 188230, dated August 23, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	7.55
To pay First National Bank, Temple, Texas, Warrant No. 147007, dated May 6, 1936, for the sum of \$25.00; Warrant No. 159005, dated May 29, 1936, for the sum of \$36.00; Warrant No. 172717, dated July 12, 1934, for the sum of \$8.14; Warrant No. 172722, dated July 12, 1934, for the sum of \$2.25; Warrant No. 172394, dated July 12, 1934, for the sum of \$3.02; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	74.41
To pay I. L. C. Barton, Apple Springs, Texas, Warrant No. 19898, dated November 8, 1932, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	16.00
To pay Robert S. Haegelin, Corpus Christi, Texas, balance due for service as special Judge of District Court of Nueces County	104.66
To pay Allen V. Davis, Corpus Christi, Texas, for nineteen days service as special Judge of District Court of Nueces County	260.11

To pay Curtis Douglass, Panhandle, Texas, for three days service as special Judge of the 84th District Court of Carson County, Texas	41.07
To pay Curtis Douglass, Panhandle, Texas, for twenty-four days service as special Judge of the 84th District Court of Hutchinson County	328.56
To pay J. S. Simkins, Corsicana, Texas, for one day's service as special Judge of District Court of Navarro County, Texas	13.69
To pay Mathew S. Wood, Hillsboro, Texas, for twenty-seven days service as special District Judge of the 66th Judicial District of Texas	369.86
To pay Charles Clements, Plainview, Texas, for one day's service as special Judge of District Court of Hale County, Texas	13.69
To pay James P. Hart, Austin, Texas, for thirty days service as special Judge of District Court of Travis County, Texas..	410.70
To pay J. T. Suggs, Jr., Sherman, Texas, balance due for services as special Judge of District Court of Grayson County, Texas	48.34
To pay Walter Monteith, Galveston, Texas, for two months service as Special Commissioner to the Court of Civil Appeals for the First Supreme Judicial District of Texas, at Galveston	1,083.33
To pay J. A. Scott, Fort Worth, for expenses incurred in making trip to San Antonio, Texas, as Clerk of the Court of Civil Appeals, Second Supreme Judicial District of Texas	19.50
To pay Allen Reed, Dallas, Texas, for assisting the District Attorney at his special request, District Court of Martin County, Texas	60.00
To pay Allen Reed, Dallas, Texas, for services as special County Attorney, Fannin County, Texas.....	40.00
To pay Ice Service Company, Wichita Falls, Texas, for refund of Chain Store Tax.....	253.50
To pay H. C. Sanson, Groesbeck, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 3451-A, of the District Court of Limestone County, Seventy-seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Felix Goss.....	41.75
To pay Mary E. McGowan, Galveston, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 22,473, of the District Court of Galveston County, Texas, Fifty-sixth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Humphrey Henderson.....	54.90
To pay S. R. Harrington, Bay City, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 3818, of the District Court of Wharton County, Twenty-third Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Thomas Brown.....	20.66
To pay W. H. Graham, Conroe, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 8208, of the District Court of Montgomery County, Ninth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Bob White.....	48.00
To pay Brents Norman, Plainview, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 2513, of the District Court of Hale County, Sixty-fourth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Jerome Kirkendoll.....	16.40
To pay James M. Muse, McKinney, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. A-6225, of District Court of Collin County, Fifty-ninth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. J. W. Richman.....	39.60
To pay R. E. Blake, Nacogdoches, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 5358, of District Court	

of Angelina County, Second Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Henry Waits, \$20.00; Cause No. 5419, State of Texas vs. L. B. Allen, \$28.00; Cause No. 5415, State of Texas vs. Randall Johnson, \$17.00; Cause No. 6222, of the District Court of Cherokee County, Second Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Odell Bright, \$25.00.....	90.00
To pay Mrs. B. O. Mehearg, Tyler, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 6354, of District Court of Upshur County, Seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Grady Warren, \$35.00; Cause No. 12413, of District Court of Smith County, Seventh Judicial District of Texas, State of Texas vs. Raymond Knight, \$21.75; Cause No. 12989, of District Court of Smith County, Seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. C. T. Tucker, \$16.00; Cause No. 6491, of District Court of Wood County, Seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Pierson Cantrell, \$36.00; Cause No. 11507, of District Court of Smith County, Seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Alma Baker, \$66.50; Cause No. 11556, of District Court of Smith County, Seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Grady Warren, \$125.25; Cause No. 12807, of District Court of Smith County, Seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Albert Jones, \$36.00; Warrant No. 12563, dated on or about May 17, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation, \$68.34	404.84
To pay O. O. Franklin, Henrietta, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 3226, of District Court of Clay County, Ninety-seventh Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Homer Roberson.....	9.10
To pay Less S. Henry, Abilene, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 3205, of District Court of Taylor County, One Hundred and Fourth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Mrs. L. Dansby.....	41.30
To pay J. Henry Cross, Amarillo, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. —, of District Court of Hutchinson County, Eighty-fourth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. J. C. Knott.....	27.28
To pay Joe Hees, Dallas, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 6673, of District Court of Polk County, Ninth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Lister Thompson	14.40
To pay Mrs. Winifred E. Graves, Athens, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 10026, of District Court of Henderson County, One Hundred and Sixteenth Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Elmer Pruitt, \$70.00; Cause No. 9392, of District Court of Houston County, Third Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Jess Ratcliff, \$60.00; Cause No. 9529, of District Court of Houston County, Third Judicial District of Texas, The State of Texas vs. Lafette Lamb, \$10.00.....	140.00
To pay J. V. Dowdy, Athens, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 8502, of District Court of Shelby County, The State of Texas vs. Bron Harris, balance due, \$22.50; Cause No. 8446, of District Court of Shelby County, The State of Texas vs. Nubb Bennett, \$38.53; Cause No. 8398, of District Court of Shelby County, Texas, The State of Texas vs. Clyde Brown, \$41.00; Cause No. 8397, of District Court of Shelby County, The State of Texas vs. Willis Murphy, \$35.00.....	137.03
To pay L. D. Hillyer, Brownwood, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter, District Court of Brown County, Texas	76.02

To pay George N. White, Hillsboro, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 17640, of District Court of Hill County, Sixty-sixth Judicial District of Texas, \$40.00; Cause No. 17562, of District Court of Hill County, Sixty-sixth Judicial District of Texas, \$16.00.....	56.00
To pay W. T. Williams, Austin, Texas, for refund of purchase money on two tracts of land patented to said W. T. Williams which the State did not own.....	442.44
To pay Casualty Reciprocal Exchange, Kansas City, Missouri, refund for overpayment of Premiums Tax on Workmen's Compensation Insurance	1,564.01
To pay Export Insurance Company, Houston, Texas, refund for overpayment of Premium Tax	2,039.90
To pay F. L. Freeland, Sheriff of Stephens County, Breckenridge, Texas, for Sheriff's fees in Cause No. 2537, State of Texas vs. J. R. Ramsey, \$4.00; Cause No. 2206, State of Texas vs. Herman Chaney, \$5.00; Cause No. 2532, State of Texas vs. J. R. Ramsey, \$4.00; Cause No. 2536, State of Texas vs. J. R. Ramsey, \$4.00; Cause No. 2573, State of Texas vs. R. E. Lily, \$23.00; Cause No. 2569, State of Texas vs. Earl Dodd, \$50.35; Cause No. 2510, State of Texas vs. John Hayes, \$4.00; Cause No. 2472, State of Texas vs. Pat Stevens, \$54.60; Cause No. 2351, State of Texas vs. Alton Choas, \$4.00; Cause No. 2061, State of Texas vs. H. E. Rodes, \$4.00; Cause No. 2201, State of Texas vs. Carl Fulks, \$4.00.....	160.95
To pay Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Longview, Texas, for balance due on telephone bills of the Longview office of the Attorney General of Texas for months of June, July, August, and September, 1935.....	284.92
To pay W. F. Hale, Austin, Texas, for expenses incurred in his defense on a charge of murder for killing Pablo Prieto in line of duty while serving as a Texas Ranger.....	1,100.00
To pay Emma Lou Blocker, New Boston, Texas, for collecting delinquent taxes in Bowie County, Texas, under contract...	3,371.53
To pay R. H. Knesek, Wallis, Texas, refund of Chain Store Tax	19.50
To pay Mrs. Hazel Barnes, for rental of 242 acres of land adjoining the Ramsey Farm (State) in Brazoria County for the year 1935	199.03
To pay Roy Butler, Tyler, Texas, for traveling expense account of Special District Judge, Seventh Judicial District of Texas	278.55
To pay Axtell Company, Fort Worth, Texas, for refund of ad valorem taxes for 1932, and 1933, \$109.56; for refund of franchise taxes for 1932 and 1933, \$72.60.....	182.16
To pay Abilene Building & Loan Association, Abilene, Texas, for refund of personal property taxes erroneously paid.....	114.94
To pay Management Company, Dallas, Texas, refund account of duplicate payment of taxes in Taylor County, Texas.....	17.00
To pay Austin National Bank, Austin, Texas, refund of Real Estate Tax on land situated in Lamb County, Texas, on which duplicate payment was made.....	41.91
To pay John W. Smith, Snyder, Texas, for refund of Real Estate Tax on land situation in Loving County, Texas, on which duplicate payment was made	37.34
To pay Two States Telephone Company, Texarkana, Texas, for refund of Gross Receipts Tax, applicable to Texarkana, Texas	11,610.10
To pay Jack Tingle, Criminal Courts Building, Dallas, Texas, transcript fees as Official Court Reporter in Cause No. 3250-D of District Court No. 2, Dallas County, The State of Texas vs. Charles Wair	15.31

To pay LeSage Wholesale Liquor Company, Dallas, Texas, for refund for stamps erroneously paid in duplicate on wines....	91.07
To pay Auto Springs and Supply Company, Wichita Falls, Texas, for refund of Chain Store Tax for the years 1936, 1937, 1938, and 1939	121.33
To pay Webers Root Beer Company, Dallas, Texas, for refund of Chain Store Tax erroneously paid.....	64.58
To pay Cleveland Compress and Cotton Service Company, Houston, Texas, for refund of Occupation Tax erroneously paid for 1939	37.50
To pay A. F. Miller Company, First National Bank Building, Houston, Texas, for refund of Franchise Tax erroneously paid for years 1938-1939	10.20
To pay Leo Mendlovitz, New Braunfels, Texas, for refund of Occupation Tax erroneously paid.....	6.50
To pay Mrs. H. C. McKinnis, Henrietta, Texas, for refund of amount paid for Beer License which was not used.....	25.00
To pay Falls County, Marlin, Texas, for refund of Gross Production Tax on oil erroneously paid in the State Treasury..	1,094.67
To pay Government Employees Gregg County Federal Credit Union, Longview, Texas, for refund of franchise tax for 1937 erroneously paid	10.00
To pay Brooks System Sandwich Shops, Houston, Texas, refund of Chain Store Tax erroneously paid.....	397.17
To pay Hercules Powder Company, Wilmington, Delaware, Warrant No. 80417, dated January 24, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	5.92
To pay Hanna M. Flood, 2314 Strand Street, Galveston, Texas, refund of overpayment of State Inheritance Tax.....	12.50
To pay Cox and Hamon, Dallas, Texas, refund of Gross Production and Regulation Pipe Line Taxes.....	12.35
To pay J. S. Caldwell, Spearman, Texas, refund for Mercantile Store License erroneously paid.....	10.00
To pay W. K. Ewing Company, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, refund for amount of State Tax Stamps erroneously fixed to legal instruments	32.10
To pay S. H. Bryan, Groesbeck, Texas, refund of taxes on property in Limestone County, erroneously paid.....	16.65
To pay Peavy-Moore Lumber Company, Inc., Deweyville, Texas, refund of Chain Store Tax	6.50
To pay J. F. Pundt, Floydada, Texas, refund of taxes paid on homestead in Floyd County	6.66
To pay Lummus Cotton Gin Company, Columbus, Georgia, refund of Foreign Corporation Filing Fees, year 1937.....	210.00
To pay Mrs. Lutie Moore McFarland, 304 Berkeley Place, Staunton, Virginia, refund of Inheritance Tax erroneously paid...	1,110.00
To pay Nancy Perkins, Pecos, Texas, refund of ad valorem taxes erroneously paid	6.02
To pay Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas, for services rendered as Executive Vice-President of a Texas Centennial Committee	7,140.00
To pay Van Noy Interstate Company, 71 East Lake Street, Chicago, Illinois, refund of Chain Store Tax for years 1936, 1937 and 1938, erroneously paid.....	1,610.33
To pay International Agricultural Corporation, Atlanta, Georgia, refund of overpayment of Franchise Tax for the years 1936 and 1937	301.13
To pay J. W. Morrow, Ex-Sheriff of Stephens County, Breckenridge, Texas, for Sheriff's fees in various cases, \$60.30 less	

\$5.50 which amount has been paid in Cause No. 2998, State of Texas vs. Cleo Cox.....	54.80
To pay Charles E. Ricker, 804 Scarbrough Building, Austin, Texas, for refund of Insurance Solicitors Lines fee.....	8.00
To pay C. E. Gowdey, Cliff Hotel, Dallas, Texas, refund of application fee filed with the Railroad Commission for the operation of the Travel Bureau.....	50.00
To pay W. R. Crane, Forney, Texas, for transporting prisoners under contract of the Prison System.....	262.50
To pay William Earl Electric Company, Kilgore, Texas, services rendered and materials furnished at the Railroad Commission Headquarters, Kilgore, Texas	170.75
To pay Walter S. Behrens, 2118 Moser Avenue, Dallas, Texas, for allowance and salary as Second Lieutenant, 124th Cavalry, from May 1 to December 20, 1932, County Martial Law in East Texas	548.00
To pay W. J. Arnold, Leonard, Texas, refund account of check erroneously returned, to be paid out of the Old Age Assistance Fund	18.00
To pay Montgomery County, Conroe, Texas, for refund on Motor Fuel Tax for the period of January 21, 1937 to September 30, 1937, to be paid out of the Highway Motor Fuel Tax Fund	205.36
To pay Kelly and Delavan, 110 North Flores Street, San Antonio, Texas, refund of Motor Fuel Tax.....	374.40
To pay Tax Collector of Starr County, Rio Grande City, Texas, State Comptroller's Check No. 278, dated January 23, 1922, drawn on The American National Bank of Austin, Texas, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	33.92
To pay Eudocia Brennan, Corpus Christi, Texas, State Treasurer's check No. 6875, dated August 21, 1920, drawn on The American National Bank of Austin, Texas, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	99.74
To pay D. F. Acobo, Corpus Christi, Texas, Treasury Warrant No. 38733, dated June 13, 1917, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	7.20
To pay The Steck Company, Austin, Texas, Warrant No. 188241, dated August 7, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	13.59
To pay Atlantic Life Insurance Company, Richmond, Virginia, refund for overpayment of Premiums Tax	2,850.66
To pay breeding fee refunds to persons who have bred to State-owned jacks and stallions under the provisions of H. B. No. 779, Acts of the 44th Legislature, amended by H. B. No. 12, Acts of the First Called Session, 45th Legislature, and who failed to get foals. Sworn statements of all such claims being on file with the Commissioner of Agriculture. All refunds to be paid in accordance with the provisions of H. B. No. 779 and H. B. No. 12 for making such payments. Said refunds aggregating	7,332.50
To pay Texas Farm Equipment Company, Plainview, Texas, for refund on overpayment of Chain Store Tax.....	4.50
To pay estate of William O. Allison, Englewood Cliffs, Bergen County, New Jersey, for erroneous payment of Inheritance Tax	4,195.86
To pay Cox and Hamon, Dallas, Texas, for refund of Gross Production and Regulation Pipe Line Taxes erroneously paid	455.68
To pay Beverly W. King, Graham, Texas, Highway Motor Fuel Tax Fund, Warrant No. 35452, dated December 13, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation..	14.25

To pay Irvin Brothers, Daingerfield, Texas, for funeral of State Pensioner	100.00
To pay W. O. Jenkins, Warrant No. 156477, dated May 29, 1936, for the sum of \$112.50; Warrant No. 163686, dated June 10, 1936, for the sum of \$37.33; Warrant No. 140420, dated April 30, 1936, for the sum of \$112.50; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	262.33
To pay Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Austin, Texas, Warrant No. 26979, dated March 7, 1934, in the sum of \$4.60, to be paid out of Fish Propagation and Protection Fund; Warrant No. 27198, dated March 8, 1934, in the sum of \$148.40, to be paid out of Motor Fuel Enforcement Tax Fund; Warrant No. 28995, dated March 16, 1934, in the sum of \$101.85, to be paid out of Motor Fuel Enforcement Tax Fund; Warrant No. 30486, dated March 26, 1934, in the sum of \$22.65, to be paid out of Motor Fuel Enforcement Tax Fund; Warrant No. 30487, dated March 26, 1934, in the sum of \$68.90, to be paid out of Motor Fuel Enforcement Tax Fund; Warrant No. 31304, dated April 4, 1934, in the sum of \$8.75, to be paid out of Fish Propagation and Protection Fund; Warrant No. 35565, dated May 8, 1934, in the sum of \$3.90, to be paid out of Fish Propagation and Protection Fund; Warrant No. 35847, dated May 12, 1934, in the sum of \$66.85, to be paid out of Motor Fuel Enforcement Tax Fund; Warrant No. 42353, dated June 15, 1934, in the sum of \$31.11, to be paid out of Motor Fuel Enforcement Tax Fund; Warrant No. 44616, dated July 5, 1934, in the sum of \$43.20, to be paid out of Oil and Gas Enforcement Fund; Warrant No. 49340, dated August 4, 1934, in the sum of \$53.40, to be paid out of Motor Fuel Enforcement Tax Fund; Warrant No. 52583, dated August 28, 1934, in the sum of \$135.95, to be paid out of Oil and Gas Enforcement Fund; Warrant No. 28994, dated March 16, 1934, in the sum of \$44.70.....	778.96
To pay Clayton Harris, Warrant No. 164113, dated June 25, 1935, which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	11.48
To pay Archaeological Institute of America, Warrant No. 165399, dated June 27, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	107.39
To pay Hartwell Iron Works, Warrant No. 151696, dated May 29, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	13.20
To pay A. N. Steinle, Warrant No. 165280, dated June 15, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	15.00
To pay Dr. W. S. Hamilton, Warrant No. 176816, dated July 24, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	15.00
To pay Foxworth-Galbreath Lumber Company, Warrant No. 182626, dated August 6, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	117.26
To pay L. O. Hay, Marlin, Texas, Warrant No. 147599, dated May 8, 1936, for the sum of \$8.40; Warrant No. 149999, dated May 14, 1936, for the sum of \$0.90, on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	9.30
To pay Mrs. Annie Wheat, Route 2, Ranger, Texas, refund of taxes paid for the years 1926 to 1936, inclusive, on Section 4, Block 87, Public School land, 640 acres, forfeited to State in 1925	25.34
To pay Gregg Publishing Company, Warrant No. 184663, dated August 1, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	3.34

To pay W. F. Laughter, Warrant No. 116512, dated March 26, 1934, for the sum of \$47.54; Warrant No. 133402, dated March 31, 1934, for the sum of \$200.00; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	247.54
To pay C O Co. K, 144 Inf., Winnsboro, Warrant No. 115193, dated March 31, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	7.50
To pay Mrs. W. R. Harmon, Warrant No. 145391, dated May 21, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	4.08
To pay The Brown Inst. Co., Warrant No. 170904, dated July 13, 1935, for the sum of \$18.96; Warrant No. 131365, dated April 19, 1935, for the sum of \$4.95; Warrant No. 99102, dated February 26, 1934, for the sum of \$21.91, on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	45.82
To pay La Salle Co., Dep., Warrant No. 112056, dated March 19, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	10.00
To pay Western Gas, Warrant No. 139723, dated May 7, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation....	5.25
To pay J. D. Wallace & Co., Warrant No. 185431, dated July 28, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	4.52
To pay A. T. Folsom, Warrant No. 138166, dated May 3, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation....	16..00
To pay Eldridge Ent. House Inc., Warrant No. 139075, dated May 6, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	7.30
To pay Lothrop Lee & Shepard Co., Warrant No. 48693, dated November 28, 1933, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	1.13
To pay The Steck Co., Warrant No. 161384, dated August 2, 1933, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	2.21
To pay S. D. Allen, Warrant No. 174701, dated July 17, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation....	10.40
To pay The Chemical Publishing Co., Warrant No. 48257, dated November 23, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	6.00
To pay Sharyland Public School, Warrant No. 170839, dated July 12, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	79.12
To pay Ashe-Lockhart Inc., Warrant No. 156129, dated June 10, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	16.20
To pay Glyco Products Co., Warrant No. 144379, dated May 16, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	2.29
To pay Burgess Publishing Co., Warrant No. 108052, dated February 26, 1936, for the sum of \$1.56; Warrant No. 86373, dated January 23, 1936, for the sum of \$7.17; Warrant No. 98578, dated February 13, 1936, for the sum of \$2.66; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	11.39
To pay Texhoma Independent School District, Warrant No. 190153, dated August 6, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	678.00
To pay A. Harris & Co., Warrant No. 165463, dated July 28, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	9.25

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To pay Fire Engineering, Warrant No. 158653, dated June 18, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	3.00
To pay Lyford Public School, Warrant No. 180856, dated August 1, 1935, for the sum of \$35.16; Warrant No. 173197, dated July 13, 1934, for the sum of \$90.63; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	125.79
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To pay Herschel Neel, The First National Bank of Beaumont, Texas, Warrant No. 159020, dated April 30, 1935, payee, Will Nichols, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	21.29
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To pay State Bank, Mansfield, Warrant No. 145391, dated May 21, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	4.08
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To pay Charles Elmore Cropley, Clerk, United States Supreme Court, costs and charges in Texas vs. Florida et al, No. 11, original, as follows: Texas' portion of special master's fee....	4,500.00
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To pay Phoenix Dairy, Houston, Texas, Warrant No. 65727,	

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To pay A. S. Barnes & Co., Warrant No. 186931, dated August 3, 1934, for the sum of \$4.40; Warrant No. 187217, dated June 27, 1933, for the sum of \$6.84; Warrant No. 56369, dated December 4, 1935, for the sum of \$10.30; Warrant No. 112464, dated March 19, 1935, for the sum of \$4.18; Warrant No. 99742, dated February 26, 1935, for the sum of \$6.33; Warrant No. 586652, dated December 11, 1934, for the sum of \$9.48; Warrant No. 108049, dated February 26, 1936, for the sum of \$24.09; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	65.62
To pay The DeLaval Separator Company, Chicago, Illinois, Warrant No. 141231, dated May 13, 1935, for the sum of \$22.99; Warrant No. 142960, dated May 15, 1935, for the sum of \$19.34; Warrant No. 172834, dated July 17, 1935, for the sum of \$20.04; Warrant No. 105235, dated February 21, 1936, for the sum of \$34.94; Warrant No. 109760, dated March 3, 1936, for the sum of \$23.78; Warrant No. 111136, dated March 3, 1936, for the sum of \$307.06; Warrant No. 115328, dated March 12, 1936, for the sum of \$4.95; Warrant No. 136994, dated April 17, 1936, for the sum of \$378.82; Warrant No. 137992, dated April 18, 1936, for the sum of \$1.34; Warrant No. 144255, dated May 1, 1936, for the sum of \$1.39; Warrant No. 168502, dated June 18, 1936, for the sum of \$31.39; Warrant No. 170785, dated June 22, 1936, for the sum of \$24.00; Warrant No. 177507, dated July 10, 1936, for the sum of \$22.85; Warrant No. 188987,	

dated August 3, 1936, for the sum of \$72.90; Warrant No. 178893, dated July 16, 1936, for the sum of \$22.76; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	988.55
To pay the City National Bank of Galveston, Warrant No. 155275, dated June 6, 1935, payee, J. C. Gengler, for the sum of \$130.30; Warrant No. 155276, dated June 6, 1935, payee, J. C. Gengler, for the sum of \$74.10, on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	204.40
To pay Druggists Circular Inc., New York, Warrant No. 50095, dated November 25, 1932, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	3.00
To pay H. N. Johnson, Tahoka, Texas, Warrant No. 9721, dated September 22, 1934, for the sum of \$5.60; Warrant No. 9722, dated September 22, 1934, for the sum of \$5.60; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	11.20
To pay Army & Navy Register, Warrant No. 131443, dated April 8, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	4.00
To pay Ben H. Stone, Jr., Warrant No. 58901, dated December 31, 1935, for the sum of \$25.00; Warrant No. 28306, dated October 31, 1935, for the sum of \$25.00; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	50.00
To pay W. J. Banner, Sanderson, Texas, refund on one-half bonus erroneously paid to the State on oil and gas lease.....	3,017.20
To pay M. H. Goode, Dryden, Texas, refund on bonus erroneously paid to the State covering oil and gas lease.....	1,570.00
To pay Order of the Alamo, Travis D. Bailey, Treasurer, P. O. Box 1599, San Antonio, Texas, refund of amusement tax erroneously paid to the State.....	995.65
To pay Jim Gatoura, Austin, Texas, refund of erroneous payment to Liquor Control Board for liquor permit.....	175.00
To pay Dr. W. A. Sengelmann, Houston, Texas, for treatment of Dewey Fowler, inmate of the State penitentiary.....	200.00
To pay United Fidelity Life Insurance Company, Dallas, Texas, refund of erroneous overpayment of gross premium tax.....	76.58
To pay Imperial Sugar Company, Sugarland, Texas, refund of over-payment of franchise tax	1,583.50
To pay River Road Telephone Lines, Amarillo, Texas, refund of erroneous overpayment of gross receipts tax.....	10.58
To pay the Fort Worth National Bank, Fort Worth, Texas, Warrant No. 56245, dated December 31, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	7.60
To pay National State Bank, Boulder, Colorado, Warrant No. 93164, dated February 14, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	5.60
To pay American Ins. of Mining & Meta., Warrant No. 33665, dated October 30, 1936, for the sum of \$15.00; Warrant No. 45763, dated November 19, 1935, for the sum of \$2.15; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	17.15
To pay Dave Gill & Andres Galindo, Warrant No. 186527, dated Aug. 3, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	17.60
To pay Lillian Peek, Warrant No. 146519, dated May 31, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation..	108.33
To pay T. M. Scott, Warrant No. 144408, dated May 31, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation....	175.00
To pay Dr. Frederick Eby, University Station, Austin, Texas, Warrant No. 70279, dated March 3, 1932, payee, Miriam	

Dozier, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	200.00
To pay Haver-Clover Labs., Warrant No. 35330, dated November 2, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	48.00
To pay Dr. Preston Hunt, Warrant No. 25885, dated October 31, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	115.00
To pay Eva Jane Pharr, refund of homestead tax for year 1937..	7.40
To pay M. L. Smiley, Paris, Texas, refund on motor fuel tax....	51.27
To pay F. L. Cardenhire, refund of overpayment on land patent	4.32
To pay James Winchester of Beaumont, refund on homestead tax for years 1937-1938.....	5.40
To pay M. F. Yount Estate overpayment of inheritance tax....	2,880.00
To pay The Lincoln Life Insurance Company, Fort Wayne, Ind., refund occupation tax paid under protest for year 1933.....	936.14
To pay The American United Life Insurance Company, Indianapolis, Ind., refund occupation tax paid under protest for year 1933	390.00
To pay Sinclair Refining Company, Fort Worth, Texas, Accounts of Prison System and State Department of Agriculture.....	867.35
To pay Trinity Portland Cement Co., refund erroneous overpayment of franchise taxes and filing fees.....	11,345.00
To pay J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co. overpayment of franchise taxes and filing fees.....	24,385.66
To pay Acme Cement Plaster Co. refund of filing fees and franchise taxes	5,150.00
To pay Western Newspaper Union refund filing fees and franchise taxes	9,546.00
To pay National Biscuit Company refund franchise taxes and filing fees	93,407.00
To pay Farmers First National Bank, Stephenville, Texas, witness fee of J. E. Cooper, Jr., in Case No. 4446, State of Texas vs. Cliff Morgan and Ellen Morgan.....	24.48
To pay W. C. Jackson for services rendered as special district attorney of the 83rd Judicial District of the State of Texas, Pecos County	100.00
To pay Sydney L. Samuels, Fort Worth, Texas, for ninety-six days service as special chief justice of the Supreme Court of Texas	1,305.64
To pay Harvey C. Brown, Abilene, Texas, official court reporter in Cause No. 6824-A, State of Texas vs. Lonnie Mitchell, tried in the District Court of Taylor County, Texas.....	41.40
To pay R. W. Ingram, official court reporter, 123rd District Court Center, Shelby County, Texas, State of Texas vs. Amon Martin	33.60
To pay Frank C. Green, Court Reporter in the District Court of Harrison County, Texas, State of Texas vs. Landell Rhodes	8.00
To pay Clyde Welch of Handley, Texas, refund on package store permit No. 3793	83.33
To pay C. C. Engledow for services as special District Attorney in the District Court of Camp County, Texas, State of Texas vs. John A. Cook	100.00
To pay Hall Etter, official court reporter of the 75th Judicial District, covering fees for making narrative statements of facts in cases where paupers' oaths were filed.....	508.15
To pay J. R. Sanford, Eagle Pass, Texas, for services as special judge	95.83

To pay Miles D. Jordan, Sheriff of Hardin County, Texas, special fees in cases Nos. 3600 and 3651 in the District Court of Hardin County, Texas.....	13.50
To pay I. Vincent gasoline refund Warrant No. 108979, issued June 8, 1937, misplaced or lost in mail.....	68.70
To pay Ike Elliff reward offered by the State of Texas.....	250.00
To pay Dave Allen reward offered by the State of Texas.....	250.00
To pay Capital National Bank, Austin, Texas, Comptroller's Deficiency Certificate No. 21816, dated December 11, 1930, issued in full payment of all claims by the J. T. Carlisle Estate	7,912.10
To pay John R. Shook, Justice of the Peace, Bexar County, Texas, for fees covering official duty.....	53.00
To pay Maydelle Independent School District, to cover taxes on State owned land for the years 1937 and 1938.....	306.30
To pay Rusk Independent School District to cover taxes on State owned land for the years 1937 and 1938.....	954.00
To pay Gulf States Utilities Company, 362 Liberty Avenue, Beaumont, Texas, refund of chain store tax.....	4,509.00
To pay Bemis Brothers Bag Company, St. Louis, Mo., overpayment of filing permit fee to do business in the State of Texas from year 1927 to 1937.....	2,220.00
To pay Mrs. E. E. Dietert, erroneous payment of bonus and rentals to State. In the event above claim is not allowed by the Attorney General permission is hereby given claimant to sue the State, venue to be in Travis County.....	61.96
To pay W. L. Sessions erroneous payment of bonus and rentals to State. In the event the above claim is not allowed by the Attorney General permission is hereby given claimant to sue the State, venue to be in Travis County.....	890.00
To pay Red River Valley Trust Company, Paris, Texas, refund on franchise taxes from July 29, 1930 to April 13, 1937, inclusive	2,422.90
To pay Lamar State Bank and Trust Company, Paris, Texas, for franchise taxes erroneously paid from March 8, 1937 to April 13, 1939, inclusive.....	828.82
To pay Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories, Inc., Kansas City, Missouri, for commodities furnished the Texas Prison System for years 1932 and 1933, and 1936.....	350.39
To pay Rockwall Levee Improvement District for reimbursement of funds spent on repairs on the levee which protected State Highway No. 1, U. S. 67.....	1,600.00
To pay J. Emory Barton, official court reporter 16th district court, Denison, Texas, fees for preparing statement of facts in which pauper's affidavit was filed.....Case No. 9670, the State of Texas vs. T. M. Harper.....	6.70
To pay J. Emory Barton, official court reporter 16th District Court, Denison, Texas, fees for preparing statement of facts in case in which pauper's affidavit was filed, Case No. 9715, the State of Texas vs. Mendhousden.....	45.00
To pay Will W. Wood, Constable, Bexar County, Texas, for fees covering official duty.....	136.00
To pay T. J. Kelly, Supervisory Engineer for State Highway Department, while in charge of construction of the Galveston Causeway, expense account which was prohibited by the two-year limitation	32.50
To pay Albert Hausser, Sheriff, Bexar County, Texas, for fees covering official duty	345.39
To pay Klein Ice Cream Company, Houston, Texas, refund for chain store tax	320.34

To pay E. A. Shepperd, Chenoweth & Shepperd, Abilene, Texas, for motor fuel tax refund August 9, 1938 to November 1, 1938, on 1495 gallons.....	59.80
To pay R. W. Connor, Houston, Texas, witness fee in Cause No. —, State of Texas vs. J. C. Britton, Farmer County, Texas...	68.80
To pay R. W. Lee, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, refund on gasoline tax from March 10, 1937, to December 31, 1938.....	2,623.90
To pay the Lawyers Co-op Publishing Company, Rochester, N. Y., for books bought in 1935 and 1936 by the Attorney General's Department, appropriation exhausted.....	18.50
To pay M. S. Hunt, Treasury Warrant No. 131692, dated April 24, 1934, payee, J. E. Pool, in the amount of \$15.60; Treasury Warrant No. 100178, dated February 26, 1935, payee J. E. Pool, in the amount of \$11.60, on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	27.20
To pay Dr. N. D. Buie, Pres., Marlin Sanatorium Bath House, Inc., refund for overpayment of fees and franchise tax.....	74.71
To pay The Federation of Sewage Works Associations, New York, New York, Warrant No. 131984, dated April 9, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation..	1.00
To pay Welmaker Glass & Mirror Works, Warrant No. 143696, dated April 30, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	5.55
To pay George Dewey Maupin, heir of Charles H. Maupin, deceased, the sum of \$2,489.13, paid to the Treasury of the State of Texas in the escheated estate of Charles H. Maupin, Deceased, Archer County, Texas.....	2,489.13
To pay Clemons Leonard Bradley and Cecil May Bradley Adams, heirs of W. C. Hunt, deceased, the sum of \$3,847.95, paid into the Treasury of the State of Texas in connection with the escheated estate of W. C. Hunt, deceased, Jack County, Texas	3,847.95
To pay Eagle Picher Sales Co., State Highway Warrant No. 158553, dated March 30, 1936, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	46.80
To pay The First-Liberty National Bank, Liberty, Texas, Warrant No. 159013, dated April 30, payee K. Bennett, for the sum of \$23.04; Warrant No. 159021, dated April 30, 1935, payee Kenzie Morris, for the sum of \$13.03; Warrant No. 159022, dated April 30, 1935, payee Sam Thompson, for the sum of \$14.72; on which payments are prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	50.79
To pay Ollie Watts, Bell-Buchanan Motor Co., Incorporated, Liberty, Texas, Warrant No. 159017, dated April 30, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	17.32
To pay H. S. Melton, Amherst, Warrant No. 11941, dated September 30, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation	13.65
To pay Judge D. F. Strickland, Mission, Texas, for services, rendered as special Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, in Cause No. 10176, Ruth E. Goldsmith, et vir., Appellants vs. J. Sydney Salkey, Appellee, in the Fourth Supreme Court Judicial District of Texas, San Antonio, Texas	150.00
To pay Mrs. Alex Mittendorf for unearned portion of package store permit	37.50
To pay Farmers National Bank, Fayetteville, Warrant No. 8725, dated September 23, 1935, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	15.68
To pay Mrs. Ivan Perry, LaGrange, Texas, refund on Chain Store Tax	30.67

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To pay Ellington Memorial Hospital for professional services and materials used in treatment of A. D. Lummis for injuries received while working for the Texas Highway Department..	708.50
To pay Leo S. Henry, court reporter, 104th Judicial District of Texas, for preparing narrative statements of facts in case, State of Texas vs. F. D. Roberson, No. 1018-B, Taylor County, Texas, March term, A. D., 1937.....	20.31
To pay S. J. Jones of Jacksonville, Texas, for refund on purchase of gasoline.....	63.08
To pay Corpus Christi National Bank, Corpus Christi, Texas, Warrant No. 53084, dated December 3, 1934, on which payment is prohibited by the Statute of Limitation.....	8.72
To pay A. M. Davis, Attorney, 1 East 44th Street, New York City, New York, for reimbursement of expenses incurred and as Attorney's Fee in representing State Banking Commissioner in case of S. J. Senter and Company, Inc., vs. Seaboard Bank and Trust Company (succeeded by Gulf Bank and Trust Company of Port Arthur, Texas), from February, 1926, to July, 1932, said banking institution being in the hands of the State Banking Commissioner for liquidation from July 17th, 1930, to July, 1932, and for services rendered in re Societa Nazionale di Navigazione vs. Gulf Bank and Trust Company, at request of State Banking Commissioner.....	750.00
To pay Mrs. Lila Meeks, Mount Sharp, Hays County, Texas, for property destroyed by pink bollweevil worms.....	922.00
To pay Caledonia Steel Company, or its duly authorized agents in fact and attorneys at law of record, the amount due upon that certain final judgment rendered in Cause No. 53,909, in the 126th District Court of Travis County, Texas, wherein Caledonia Steel Company is plaintiff and The State of Texas and the State Highway Commission are defendants, rendered on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1938 in favor of said plaintiff, Caledonia Steel Company, against the said defendants, The State of Texas and the State Highway Commission, for the principal sum and face amount of \$2,675.10, with interest from said date of said judgment, the 28th day of November, A. D. 1938, at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum until paid and all costs of suit, amounting to the sum of \$16.30, payable out of the State Highway funds as appropriated for the current biennium, there being appropriated out of said funds, so much of said funds, not otherwise appropriated, as may be necessary to pay this judgment claim, or said sum may be paid into the Registry of the Court for the satisfaction of said judgment in accordance with its terms, the amount so appropriated, out of which so much as may be necessary for such purpose shall be paid, being the sum of....	3,000.00
To pay Elmon D. Stewart, Sheriff, Llano County, Texas, for conveying prisoner from Phoenix, Arizona to Llano, Texas...	254.70
To pay Woodrow W. Patterson, Austin, Texas, balance due on salary for years 1936, 1937, 1938, and 1939, for services as Assistant District Attorney for the Fifty-third Judicial District of Texas	1,175.00
To pay Few Brewster, Temple, Texas, for traveling expense Account of District Judge of Twenty-seventh Judicial District of Texas, August 26th and 27th, 1937.....	30.81
To pay M. H. Reed and W. T. Caswell for cash advanced to the Attorney General with which to pay costs in the case of the State of Texas vs. C. W. Bradford, et al, No. 45,226, in the District Court of Travis County, Texas, 53rd District.....	22,028.82
To pay Mr. G. W. Sealy, Executor of Estate of Mrs. Magnolia W. Sealy, deceased, Galveston, Texas, overpayment of inheritance taxes in the estate of Mrs. Magnolia W. Sealy, deceased..	296.56

To pay Reynolds Lowry, and Mrs. Mary Nelson Lowry Nolan, nee Mary Nelson Lowry, share and share alike, in full settlement of their right, title, interest and claim, and the right, title, interest and claim of any and all heirs and representatives of Thos. F. McKinney against the State of Texas, for, or on account of money, property and credit, and advances of every character furnished by the said Thos. F. McKinney to the Republic of Texas..... 16,942.80

Grand Total\$331,992.72

Sec. 2. It is specifically provided herein that before any claim shall be paid from funds hereby appropriated the same shall have the approval of the State Comptroller, and the Attorney General. It is further provided that any claim involving the refund of a franchise tax shall also carry the approval of the Secretary of State in addition to the other officials herein named.

Sec. 3. That the Comptroller of Public Accounts is hereby authorized and directed to issue a warrant or warrants on the State Treasury in favor of each of the persons, firms, or corporations named herein, in the amounts set opposite their respective names, and shall mail or deliver to each of said persons, firms, or corporations at their said respective addresses, warrant or warrants in payment of said claim or claims, and said persons, firms, or corporations shall duly receipt the Comptroller for said warrant or warrants for payment of said claim or claims.

Sec. 4. The fact that the claims herein appropriated for are past due, and the persons, firms, and corporations to whom the same are payable are being deprived of the proceeds thereof creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The President laid the report before the Senate for consideration at this time, and it was adopted. recommend that it do pass in the form hereto attached.

Record of Votes

Senators Beck, Cotten, Spears, Hardin, Moore, Burns, Lanning, Roberts, Collie, and Pace asked to be recorded as voting "nay" on the adoption of the report.

Report of Conference Committee on House Bill 580

Senator Small submitted at this time the following report of the conference committee on H. B. No. 580:

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your conference committee appointed to adjust the differences between the House and Senate on H. B. No. 580, beg leave to submit the following report and

Respectfully submitted,
SMALL,
ISELL,
COTTEN,
PACE,
SHIVERS,

On the part of the Senate.

MORRIS,
BOND,
PINER,
HEFLIN,
DANIEL,

On the part of the House.

By Morris. H. B. No. 580.

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

An Act authorizing and empowering any city, town, or village to issue its negotiable bonds, payable from revenues other than taxation, for the purchase, construction, repair, improvement, extension, or enlargement of its water system, sanitary sewer system, natural gas system, or electric light and power system, the purchase of additional water

powers, lands for reservoirs, sewage disposal plants, and other water or sewer purposes, and riparian rights, the improvement of streets and alleys by certain cities, and the purchase and improvement of parks and/or swimming pools, or either one or all of said purposes; providing that such bonds shall be solely a charge upon the revenues and properties pledged to secure their payment; providing that such bonds shall not be issued unless the proposition is first submitted to and authorized by a majority of the qualified voters who own taxable property in such city and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, voting at an election held for that purpose; providing that the method of ordering and holding such election shall be governed by the laws regulating elections for the issuance of city bonds; providing that said bonds shall be redeemed or paid by an appropriation or pledge of the net revenues derived from the operation of either one or any or all of said utility systems, and may be additionally secured by mortgage or any or all of the properties comprising any such system; refining the words "net revenues" and defining the words "reasonable expense of operating and maintaining such system, service or enterprise;" providing that said bonds shall mature not later than forty (40) years from their date and shall bear interest not to exceed six (6) per centum per annum; providing for issuance of said bonds in denominations and payable at such times, within the maximum, as may be deemed most expedient by the governing body; providing that said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city secretary, and shall be approved by the Attorney General and registered by the State Comptroller, as in the case of municipal bonds, and when so approved and registered shall be incontestable and subject to the provisions of Article 715 of the Revised Civil Statutes, 1925; provided that signatures of officers shall be binding; providing that the holder of such obligations shall never have the right to demand payment thereof out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation providing that within the discretion of the governing body payment of said

bonds may be additionally secured by an indenture, mortgage, or deed of trust, given by the city to a bank or banking institution in this State, with trust powers, whereby the city may mortgage and pledge all or any part of the lands and other properties comprising any such system, and all net revenues to be derived from the operation thereof; providing that such indenture shall be recorded in the deed of trust and mortgage records of the county or counties in which such properties may be situated; providing that such indenture may also provide for a grant of a franchise to the purchaser under sale or foreclosure thereunder to operate the properties so encumbered for a term of not over twenty (20) years after such purchase, subject to all laws regulating same then in force, but the city may have the right at any five-year period, unless periods of less than five (5) years are provided in the indenture, within said twenty (20) years to repurchase said properties; authorizing provisions for the appointment of a trustee under certain conditions; providing that the revenues or income of any such system shall be insufficient to pay all charges necessary to render efficient service, and the principal and interest on said bonds, together with reasonable reserve therefor, and all other outstanding indebtedness; providing that in making up the annual appropriation of the revenues or income of any such system, the governing body of such city shall first make provision to pay for all salaries, labor, materials, depreciation, and repairs necessary to render efficient service, and shall then make provision for the payment of any outstanding indebtedness of such system, and may then make such appropriations as the remaining revenues or income of such system may justify among the respective departments of the municipal government, or otherwise, as such governing body may deem best; authorizing the governing body of any such city to create additional indebtedness and evidence the same by the issuance of additional bonds when necessary to repair, improve, extend, or enlarge any such system, such additional bonds to be issued in accordance with provisions of this Act in respect to the issuance of bonds

in the first instance, but the lien of such additional bonds shall be junior and subordinate to the lien of the bonds or obligations then outstanding against such system; providing that no election shall be required to authorize additional bonds for a sum less than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), when issued for the purpose of constructing necessary repairs and extensions, or purchasing additional necessary equipment or machinery; authorizing refunding bonds in lieu of bonds, notes, or other obligations payable solely from revenues of any such system; providing that the qualified electors may authorize at an election held for the purpose bonds for the purpose of paying off, cancelling, and discharging an indebtedness of any such system, and for the further purpose of repairing, improving, extending, or enlarging such system, and prescribing method of procedure for the issuance of such bonds, if voted; validating all elections authorizing revenue bonds for the purpose of paying off and discharging indebtedness of public utility system, designating in election proceedings, and improving, enlarging, and extending said system, and authorizing the issuance of said bonds; validating revenue bonds issued pursuant to an election held for the purpose of paying off and discharging indebtedness of public utility system, service, or enterprise, and for the purpose of improving, enlarging, and extending such system, service or enterprise; providing and authorizing the issuance, sale and delivery of revenue bonds heretofore authorized for the purpose of paying off and discharging indebtedness of any public utility system, and improving, enlarging, and extending such system; providing that proceedings instituted by a city under Articles 1111 to 1118 of the Revised Civil Statutes, as amended, including Article 2368-a of such statutes, prior to the effective date of this Act, may be completed and such bonds delivered; providing the Act shall not apply to proceedings, levies, or to bonds or warrants, issued thereunder, the validity of which has been contested or attacked in suit or litigation which is pending at the time this Act becomes a law, or which may be filed within ninety (90) days there-

after; ratifying, confirming, approving and validating the action of the council of any city or town where the governing body has by ordinance attempted to create a Board of Trustees for the control and management of any such system or systems where there is no encumbrance of the physical properties; providing that such Board of Trustees shall have all of the powers of management and control of such systems in accordance with the other provisions of this Act or other applicable statutes; providing that management and control of systems, service or enterprise during encumbrance shall be in governing body of city, and authorizing such governing body to make rules and regulations governing service to patrons and payment of same; authorizing trustee to make sale of mortgaged properties on default in payment; providing for proper records to be kept of income and expenses, and providing a penalty for failure to maintain such records; providing for enforcement by civil action in District Courts; providing no such water system, natural gas system, electric light and power system, parks and/or swimming pools shall be sold until sale is authorized at an election by qualified voters; providing laws regulating elections for the issuance of city bonds shall govern such election; providing that if any part of this Act be held unconstitutional it shall not affect any other part of this Act; providing this Act shall not repeal Chapter 33, Acts, Thirty-ninth Legislature, Regular Session in 1925, as amended by Chapter 36, Acts, Forty-third Legislature, First Called Session in 1933, nor Chapter 314, Acts, Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session in 1931, and authorizing cities operating thereunder to take advantage of this Act; providing this Act shall not repeal any validating Act; repealing Articles 1111, 1112, 1113, and 1114, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as amended, and also, Articles 1115, 1116, 1117, and 1118, of said Statutes, Sections 8a and 11, of Chapter 163, Acts, Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session in 1931, Chapter 19, Acts, Forty-third Legislature, Third Called Session in 1934, and Chapter 18, Acts, Forty-third Legislature,

Fourth Called Session in 1934, as amended by House Bill No. 164, Acts Forty-fifth Legislature, Second Called Session in 1937; providing the necessary matters and things incidental to and necessary for the carrying out of the purposes of this Act, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Any city in this State, whether organized and operating under the General Law or under special charter granted by the Legislature of the State of Texas, or under charter adopted or amended pursuant to Section 5, of Article II, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, is hereby authorized and empowered to issue its negotiable bonds, payable from revenues other than taxation, for either one or any or all of the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The purchase or construction of a water system, sanitary sewer system, natural gas system, or electric light and power system;

(b) The purchase of additional water powers, lands for reservoirs, sewage disposal plants, and other water or sewer purposes, and riparian rights;

(c) The repair, improvement, extension, or enlargement of such system, or any one of them;

(d) The purchase and improvement of parks and/or swimming pools; and

(e) For the purpose of extending, repairing and improving the public streets and alleys in any city or town having a population of less than twenty-five hundred (2,500), according to the last preceding Federal Census, which city or town owns and operates its municipal water system and its municipal gas system.

Sec. 2. No such bonds shall ever evidence any debt of such city, but shall be solely a charge upon the revenues and properties pledged to secure their payment, and shall never be reckoned in determining the power of such city to issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit for any purposes authorized by law.

Sec. 3. Bonds hereby authorized shall not be issued unless the proposition for the issuance of such bonds shall have been first submitted to the qualified voters who own taxable property in such city and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and unless a majority of the said qualified property taxpaying voters, vot-

ing at said election, be in favor of the proposition for the issuance of bonds, then the said bonds shall not be issued. If the proposition for the issuance of bonds be sustained by a majority of such property taxpayers, voting at such election, then such bonds shall be authorized and may be issued by the governing body of any such city.

Sec. 4. The method of ordering and holding such election shall be governed by the laws of this State regulating elections for the issuance of bonds, under Chapters 1 and 2, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, and amendments thereto. The proposition to be submitted at any such election shall be in substance as follows:

"Shall the city council (or board of commissioners, as the case may be) of the city of.....be authorized to issue the revenue bonds of said city, in the principal sum ofdollars, maturing serially over a period of years not to exceed.....years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the maximum rate of.....per centum per annum, for the purpose of as authorized by the General Laws of the State of Texas, said bonds to be special obligations of the city, payable as to both principal and interest solely from the revenues of the city's (designate system or systems to be purchased, constructed, repaired, extended or improved), and shall the city council (or board of commissioners, as the case may be) be authorized to encumber the city's..... (here designate such system or systems), or the revenues thereof, or both, for the purpose of securing the payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds?"

Sec. 5. If such proposition is submitted in any other form not contravening the provisions of this Act, the bonds, if authorized, shall not be invalid. All voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots substantially the following language: "For the issuance of revenue bonds and encumbering the city's..... (here designate system or systems), or the revenues thereof, or both, for the payment or same," and those opposed shall have written or printed upon

their ballots substantially the following language: "Against the issuance of revenue bonds and encumbering the city's.....(here designate system or systems), or the revenues thereof, or both, for the payment of same."

Sec. 6. Both principal of and interest on all bonds, issued under authority of this Act, shall be redeemed or paid by an appropriation or pledge of the net revenues derived from the operation of either one or any or all of the public utility system or enterprises, hereinabove mentioned, pursuant to authority conferred at such election, and payment of such bonds may be additionally secured by a mortgage on any or all of the properties comprising any such system or enterprise; it being the intent hereof to authorize and to provide that the net revenues derived from the operation of any one or more of such systems or enterprises may be pledged and applied to the payment of the bonds issued for the purpose of purchasing, constructing, repairing, improving or enlarging another one or more of such systems or enterprises. The words "net revenues," as used in this Act, are hereby defined to mean all revenues or income of any such system, service or enterprise, after deduction of the reasonable expense of operating and maintaining such system, service, or enterprise. The words "reasonable expense of operating and maintaining such system, service or enterprise," or words of similar import, as used in this Act, shall include all salaries, labor, materials, depreciation, and repairs necessary to render efficient service, and such expenses, economically administered, shall always be a first lien and charge against such revenues or income.

Sec. 7. All bonds issued under this Act—

(a) Shall mature not later than forty (40) years from their date;

(b) Shall bear interest not to exceed six (6) per centum per annum;

(c) Shall be issued in such denominations and payable at such time or times (within the maximum time herein prescribed) as may be deemed most expedient by the governing body of such city;

(d) Shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the city secretary;

(e) Shall be presented to the Attorney General for his approved as is

provided by law for the approval of bonds issued by cities and towns, and, if approved by the Attorney General, shall be registered by the State Comptroller as in the case of municipal bonds, and when so approved and registered such bonds shall be valid and binding obligations of the city and shall be incontestable from and after the time of such registration, subject to all of the provisions of Article 715 of the Revised Civil Statutes, 1925;

(f) Shall expressly stipulate and provide on the fact thereof that the holder of such obligations shall never have the right to demand payment thereof out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation; and,

(g) All bonds issued under this Act bearing the signature of officers in office on the date of the signing thereof shall be valid and binding, notwithstanding that before delivery thereof and payment therefor, such officers whose signatures appear thereon shall have ceased to be officers of the city issuing the same.

Sec. 8. Such bonds shall be authorized by ordinance wherein provision shall be made for a special interest and sinking funds account, into which there shall be set aside annually, or oftener, if necessary, such portion of the net revenues or income of the system, service or enterprise, authorized to be pledged for that purpose, as shall be sufficient to pay when due the principal of and interest on such bonds, together with a reasonable reserve therefor. Within the discretion of the governing body of such city, payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds may be additionally secured by an indenture, mortgage or deed of trust (hereafter referred to as "indenture"), given by the city to a bank or banking institution in this State, with trust powers, as the trustee, wherein and whereby the city may mortgage and pledge all or any part of the lands and other properties comprising any such system, service or enterprise, and all revenues to be derived from the operation thereof, after deduction of reasonable operation and maintenance expenses, and such indenture shall be placed of record in the proper deed of trust and mortgage records of the county or counties in which any such properties may be situated, and such indenture may also provide for a grant of a franchise to the pur-

chaser under sale or foreclosure thereunder to operate the properties so encumbered for a term of not over twenty (20) years after such purchase, subject to all laws regulating same then in force; provided, however, that the city shall have the right at any five-year period, unless periods of less than five (5) years are stipulated in the indenture, within said twenty (20) years after purchase of the properties designated in the franchise, to repurchase said properties under reasonable terms and at a reasonable prices, the method of determining such terms and prices to be set forth in such indenture.

Sec. 8a. Within the discretion of the governing body of such city, the ordinance or ordinances authorizing the issuance of the bonds may provide, as a separate and independent remedy, that the holder or holders of a certain percentage, to be fixed in the ordinance, in principle amount of the bonds shall be entitled to the appointment, by a court of competent jurisdiction, of a trustee to operate the system, service or enterprise in the event of default or failure to pay the principal of or interest on the bonds or any of them, as the same shall become due; provided such failure or default has continued for a period of six (6) months or more. Any such ordinance or ordinances shall also provide for the operation of the system, service or enterprise, by the trustee, until all past due principal of or interest on the bonds has been paid; and for the return of such system, service or enterprise to such city when such default or failure has been cured or made good.

Sec. 9. Whenever the revenues or income of any such system, service or enterprise shall have been pledged or encumbered under this law, the rates charged for services furnished thereby shall be equal and uniform and no free service shall be allowed, except the city public schools or buildings and institutions operated by such city. While any of said bonds or interest coupons shall be outstanding and unpaid, the governing body of such city shall fix and maintain rates and collect charges for the facilities and services afforded by the system, services or enterprise, so encumbered, which will provide revenues sufficient at all times:

(a) to pay for all salaries, labor, materials, depreciation, and repairs

necessary to render efficient service;

(b) To establish and maintain the special interest and sinking fund account created for the purpose of paying the principal of and interest on said bonds, together with a reasonable reserve therefor; and,

(c) To pay all outstanding indebtedness against such system, service or enterprise, other than said bonds, as and when the same becomes due.

Sec. 10. In making up the annual appropriation of the revenues or income of any such system, service or enterprise, the governing body of such city shall first make provision to pay for all salaries, labor, materials, depreciation, and repairs, necessary to render efficient service, and shall then make provision for the payment of principal of and interest on any indebtedness outstanding against such system, service or enterprise, together with a reasonable reserve therefor, and may then make such appropriation as the remaining revenues or income of such system, service or enterprise may justify, to be appropriated among the respective departments of the municipal government, or otherwise appropriated for public uses as such governing body may deem best.

Sec. 11. If it should become necessary to repair, improve, extend or enlarge any such system, service or enterprise, the revenues of which have been pledged to secure payment of an indebtedness still outstanding against such system, service or enterprise, and there shall be no sufficient funds in the maintenance and operation fund with which such repairs, improvements, extensions or enlargements may be made, the governing body of such city may proceed in all respects to provide additional funds for such purpose, and to create additional indebtedness and evidence the same by the issuance of additional bonds, in accordance with the provisions of this Act, in respect to the issuance of bonds in the first instance, but the lien of such additional bonds shall be junior and subordinate in all respects to the lien of the bonds or obligations then outstanding as a charge against the revenues or income of such system, service or enterprise; provided, however, that no election shall be required to authorize the governing body to issue additional bonds for a sum less than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), when issued for the pur-

pose of constructing such repairs and extensions, or purchasing additional equipment or machinery, as in the judgment of the governing body of such city are necessary to keep the system, service or enterprise in operation, and render adequate service to such city, and the inhabitants thereof.

Sec. 12. Any city which has heretofore issued revenue bonds, notes or other obligations, under authority of Articles 1111 et seq., Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, or amendments thereto, or under authority of any other law, general or special, for the purpose of the purchase, construction, repair, improvement, extension or enlargement of its water system, sanitary sewer system, natural gas system, electric light and power system, or parks, or swimming pools, and any city which may issue any bonds under authority of this Act may, by consent of the holders thereof, refund any such outstanding bonds, notes or other obligations, including matured interest coupons thereto appertaining, by issuing new coupon bonds for that purpose; and it shall not be necessary to submit the question of the issuance of such refunding bonds to a vote of the qualified electors of such city. Such refunding bonds shall not bear a greater rate of interest than the bonds or obligations in lieu of which they are issued; and such refunding bonds shall be payable serially not exceeding forty (40) years from the date thereof, and shall be approved by the Attorney General and registered by the State Comptroller, in the same manner provided by law for the issuance of general obligation refunding bonds by cities in this State.

Section 13. In the event it should become necessary to repair, improve, extend or enlarge any such system, service or enterprise, the revenues of which have been pledged to secure payment of an indebtedness still outstanding against such system, service or enterprise, and the governing body of the city deems it necessary to issue additional bonds under authority of Section 11, of this Act, but it is not feasible or practicable that such additional bonds represent a lien junior or subordinate to the lien of the bonds or obligations then outstanding as a charge against the revenues or income of such system, service or enterprise, the governing body of such city may, and is hereby authorized, to submit to a vote of the quali-

fied electors of the city the proposition of whether or not the city shall issue revenue bonds for not exceeding an amount stated, for the purpose of paying off, cancelling and discharging such existing indebtedness, and for the further purpose of repairing, improving, extending or enlarging such system; such new bonds to be authorized, issued, and payment thereof secured in all respects in accordance with the provisions of this Act; provided, however, that the Comptroller shall not register any such new bonds until all the outstanding bonds, notes or other evidences of the indebtedness to be cancelled thereby, have been presented to him for cancellation, or until a valid contract has been entered into and a copy thereof filed with the Comptroller providing for the purchase of such outstanding bonds, notes or obligations, or the exchange thereof, but the Comptroller shall keep said new bonds until all of the old obligations are presented to him for exchange or payment, in case same are presented for payment, the city shall pay the same before such new bonds are registered; provided, further, that the said old obligations are to be taken in exchange, or purchased, at their face value, or less; and, provided further, that the governing body shall not finally award any contract for repairing, improving, extending or enlarging such system, service or enterprise, as authorized at such election, until all of the old obligations to be paid off and cancelled are surrendered and duly cancelled.

Sec. 14. All elections heretofore held wherein the proposition or propositions submitted provided that the city, or its governing body, shall be authorized to issue the revenue bonds of said city for not exceeding the amount stated in the election order and notice, for the purpose of paying off and discharging certain indebtedness outstanding against the public utility system of said city designated in such election proceedings, and for the purpose of improving, enlarging and extending said system, said bonds to be special obligations of such city, payable as to both principal and interest solely from the revenues of such public utility system, and further providing that such city, or its governing body, shall be authorized to encumber such public utility system, or the revenues thereof, or both, for the purpose of securing the payment of the prin-

cipal of and interest on said bonds, said encumbrance to be an exclusive first lien on and pledge of said revenues, after deduction of reasonable expenses of operating and maintaining said public utility system, as said expenses are defined by Statute, shall be and the same are hereby validated; and such bonds may be issued for not exceeding the amount or amounts and for the purpose stated in the proposition approved by a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of such city, voting at the election which has been held for the purpose of determining whether or not such bonds shall be issued; provided, that none of said bonds shall be registered by the State Comptroller until the old obligations are surrendered and cancelled as herein provided; and provided further, that where the governing body of any such city, pursuant to authority which has been conferred at any such election, has authorized the issuance of bonds for the purpose of paying off and discharging certain indebtedness for any public utility system, service or enterprise of said city, and for the purpose of improving, enlarging and extending such system, service or enterprise, and as security therefor, has mortgaged and encumbered the properties comprising such system, service or enterprise, and the franchise and income thereof, and everything pertaining thereto, acquired or to be acquired, the ordinance or ordinances of such governing body prescribing the date and maturity of such new bonds, the rate of interest the same shall bear, the place of payment of principal and interest, and appropriating and pledging the revenues of any such system, service or enterprise to pay interest on such bonds and to produce a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at maturity, having been recorded in the minutes or records of such governing body, and where the mortgage or indenture on the properties comprising such system, service or enterprise, to secure payment of said bonds, has been duly executed by the proper officers of said city, and the trustee therein named, and recorded in the proper deed of trust and mortgage records of the county or counties in which are situated the properties of such system, service or enterprise, so mortgaged or encumbered, and all bonds, notes or other evidences of the debts to be cancelled and dis-

charged, have been duly cancelled and exchanged for an equal amount of such new bonds, all acts and proceedings had and done in connection therewith by the governing body of such city and/or the mayor, city secretary, city treasurer, or any other officer of such city, and the trustee named in such mortgage or indenture, in respect of such bonds, the appropriation and pledge of the revenues of such system, service or enterprise, and/or the mortgage or indenture on the properties of such system, service or enterprise to secure payment of such bonds, are hereby ratified, confirmed, legalized, approved and validated. In event any of said new bonds have not been sold, issued and delivered, power and authority is hereby expressly conferred upon and delegated to the governing body of any such city, the mayor, city secretary, city treasurer, or other proper officer thereof, and the trustee named in such mortgage or indenture, to discharge and perform all acts and duties necessary in the issuance or sale and delivery of such new bonds and the cancellation of the old bonds, notes or other evidences of the indebtedness to be paid off and cancelled with the proceeds derived from the sale of such new bonds, and such governing body is hereby further authorized to adopt all other and further orders, resolutions or ordinances necessary in the issuance, sale, delivery and payment of said new bonds, or any parcel or installment thereof. Provided, however, that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to any proceedings, levies, or to any bonds or warrants issued thereunder, the validity of which has been contested or attacked in suit or litigation which is pending at the time this Act becomes a law, or which may be filed within ninety (90) days after this Act becomes a law.

Sec. 14a. Where the governing body of any city or town, owning and operating any such system or systems, has heretofore by ordinance attempted to create a Board of Trustees for the control and management of any such system or systems where there is no encumbrance of the physical properties, but only an encumbrance of the net revenue of the system or systems, the action of the council of any such city or town in so creating a Board of Trustees and fixing their powers, duties, compensation, and terms of office is hereby ratified,

confirmed, approved and validated; and such Board of Trustees shall have all of the powers of management and control of such systems in accordance with the other provisions of this Act or any other applicable statutes, so long as any of the revenue bonds shall be outstanding and unpaid and so long as there is an encumbrance of the net revenue of the system or systems; and the terms of such management and control shall be as already created or as may be hereafter created by ordinance of the city or town.

Sec. 15. The management and control of any such system, service or enterprise, during the time the same is encumbered shall, by the terms of such indenture, be placed in the governing body of said City. Such governing body shall have the power to make rules and regulations governing the furnishing of service to patrons and for the payment of same, and providing for the discontinuance of such service, if payment therefor is not made when due. Such governing body shall have power to provide penalties for the violation of such rules and regulations, and to provide penalties for interference, trespassing, or injury to any such system, service or enterprise, or premises on which same may be located.

Sec. 16. The indenture shall provide that the trustee named therein shall be authorized to make sale upon default in payment of the principal or interest according to the terms thereof, and for the selection of a successor, if the trustee is disqualified, or shall fail to act, and for collection fees not exceeding five (5) per cent of the principal. No collection fees shall accrue and no foreclosure proceedings shall be begun in any court or through any trustee, and no option to mature any part of such obligation because of default in payment of any installment of principal or interest shall be exercised until ninety (90) days' written notice shall be given to each member of the governing body of such city that payment has been demanded and default made, which notice shall date from the sending of a prepaid registered letter to each person to be notified, addressed to them at the post office in such city. If the installments of principal and interest then due shall be paid before the expiration of said ninety (90) days, together with the interest prescribed in such indenture from the

date of default until the date of payment, it shall have like effect as if paid on the date the same was originally due.

Sec. 17. Whenever the revenues or income of any public utility system service, or enterprise shall be encumbered under this law, it shall be the duty of the mayor of such city to install and maintain, or cause to be installed and maintained, a complete system of records and accounts, showing separately the amounts expended and/or set aside for salaries, repairs, materials, labor, depreciation, replacements, extensions, and other maintenance and operation expenses, and showing separately the amounts expended and/or set aside for the payment of interest and the creation of a sinking fund to pay bonds or other indebtedness outstanding against any such system, service, or enterprise.

It shall likewise be the duty of the superintendent, or person duly appointed and acting as manager of any such system, service, or enterprise, to file with the mayor of such city not later than February 1st a detailed report of the operation of such system, service, or enterprise, for the year ending December 31st preceding, showing the total sums of money collected and the balance due, as well as the total disbursements made and the amounts remaining unpaid as the result of operation of such system, service, or enterprise during such calendar year. Failure or refusal on the part of the mayor to install and maintain, or cause to be installed and maintained, such system of records or accounts within ninety (90) days, after the sale and delivery of any bonds issued under the provisions of this Act, or on the part of such superintendent or manager to file, or cause to be filed, such report, shall constitute a misdemeanor, and, on conviction thereof, such mayor or superintendent or manager shall be subject to a fine of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100) nor more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000); and any taxpayer or holder of such indebtedness residing within such city shall have the right, by appropriate civil action in the District Court of the county in which such city is situated, to enforce the provisions of this Section.

Sec. 17a. No such water system, sanitary sewer system, natural gas system, electric light and power system,

parks and/or swimming pool, shall ever be sold until such sale is authorized by a majority vote of the qualified voters of such city, who own taxable property in such city, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, voting at an election held for that purpose. The method of ordering and holding such election shall be governed by the laws of this State regulating elections for the issuance of city bonds under Chapters 1 and 2, Title 22, Revised Statutes of 1925, and amendments thereto.

Sec. 17b. The word "City" as used in this Act, shall include and mean all cities, towns and villages incorporated under either general or special law, including those operating under special charter or amendments of charter adopted pursuant to the Home Rule provisions of the Constitution.

Sec. 17c. Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this Act, proceedings instituted by any city prior to the effective date of this Act for the issuance of revenue bonds under Articles 1111 to 1118, inclusive, of the Revised Civil Statutes, as amended, and related statutes, or portions thereof, including Article 2368-a of such Statutes, as amended, may be completed and the revenue bonds delivered to the purchasers thereof under the authority of said Articles and for this purpose said Articles shall remain in full force and effect.

Sec. 18. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Act is held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Act.

Sec. 19. This Act shall not repeal any of the provisions of Chapter 33, Acts, Thirty-ninth Legislature, Regular Session, in 1925, as amended by Chapter 36, Acts, Forty-third Legislature, First Called Session, in 1933, being the Act empowering cities having more than one hundred and sixty thousand (160,000) inhabitants to purchase or otherwise acquire water systems, and any city operating under and subject to the provisions of said Statute may take advantage of the provisions of this Act; nor shall this Act repeal any of the provisions of Chapter 314, Acts, Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, in 1931, being the Act empowering cities owning and operating light systems and gas systems, or water systems and gas systems, or sewer systems and

gas systems, to mortgage and encumber any one or more of such systems, and any city operating under and subject to the provisions of said Statute, may take advantage of the provisions of this Act; nor shall this Act repeal any validating Act.

Sec. 20. Article 1111, 1112, 1113 and 1114, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as amended, and also, Articles 1115, 1116, 1117 and 1118, of said Statutes, are hereby particularly repealed; and Sections 8a and 11, of Chapter 163, Acts, Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, in 1931, are hereby particularly repealed; and Chapter 19, Acts, Forty-third Legislature, Third Called Session, in 1934, is hereby particularly repealed, and Chapter 18, Acts, Forty-third Legislature, Fourth Called Session, in 1934, as amended by House Bill No. 164, Acts, Forty-fifth Legislature, Second Called Session, in 1937, is hereby particularly repealed.

Sec. 21. The fact that the Statutes hereby repealed are inadequate, and the importance of this measure to many cities throughout the State, create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The President laid the report before the Senate.

Question—Shall the report be adopted?

The report was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—24

Aikin	Metcalf
Beck	Moffett
Brownlee	Moore
Burns	Nelson
Collie	Pace
Cotten	Redditt
Graves	Roberts
Hardin	Small
Head	Spears
Hill	Stone
Isbell	of Galveston
Lanning	Van Zandt
Lemens	

Nays—5

Martin	Weinert
Shivers	Winfield
Stone	
of Washington	

Absent

Kelley

Sulak

Message from the House

A Clerk from the House was recognized to present the following message:

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas, June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following resolutions:

H. C. R. No. 209, Appropriating out of the Contingent Expense Fund of the Legislature Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) to be used by the Legislative Advisory Committee until the Rural Aid Law is effective.

H. C. R. No. 212, Expressing the legislative intent in regard to Section 6 of House Bill No. 410.

S. C. R. No. 73, Suspending certain Joint Rules for the purpose of considering H. B. No. 545.

H. C. R. No. 211, Suspending certain Joint Rules for the consideration of H. B. No. 340.

The House has adopted the Conference Committee report on H. B. No. 688 by a vote of 117 ayes, 21 noes.

The House has adopted the Conference Committee report on H. B. No. 723 by a vote of 132 ayes, 2 noes.

The House has passed the following bills:

S. B. No. 435, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Court in certain counties, allowing each Commissioner certain expenses, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

S. B. No. 292, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the county board of trustees in counties having a population of not less than five thousand one hundred (5,100) nor more than five thousand two hundred (5,200) as shown by the Federal Census of 1930, to set aside a certain amount of the Available School Fund apportioned to such counties to defray certain expenses in the admin-

istration of the scholastic affairs of such counties, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 486, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation for the use of the San Antonio River Canal and Conservancy District, providing that it shall be repaid to the State of Texas; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 489, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation for the Sabine-Neches Conservation District; designating who shall have authority to execute vouchers under the direction and with the consent of Directors of said District; limiting the purposes for which the money may be spent; providing money therein appropriated is intended as a loan and is to be repaid to the State's General Revenue Fund from the first revenue received by said District; and declaring an emergency."

The House has adopted the Conference Committee report of S. B. No. 111 by a vote of 75 ayes, 32 noes.

S. B. No. 458, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that private corporations may be formed for the purpose of planning, holding, financing, and conducting the national reunion and convention of any recognized fraternal order when held within the State of Texas, and exercising control over all matters pertaining to such reunion and convention; limiting the amount of filing fee that may be charged such corporations by the Secretary of State; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 396, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring the sovereignty of Texas along its seacoast, fixing its present seacoast boundary and ownership, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 493, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 17A of Chapter 126 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, as amended by Senate Bill No. 21, the same being Chapter 505 of the Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 476, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Court in any county having

a population of not less than 15,700, and not more than 15,800 according to the last preceding Federal Census, to allow each county commissioner certain traveling expenses while traveling on official business, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

S. B. No. 478, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and establishing Van Zandt County Road District Number 7 in Van Zandt County, Texas, under Article III, Section 52 of the Constitution for the purpose of the construction, operation and maintenance of macadamized, graveled or paved roads or turnpikes, or in aid thereof; describing the territory included therein; making the district a body corporate with authority to sue and be sued; authorizing the district to issue bonds upon two-thirds vote of the property taxpaying voters voting at an election; prescribing the method of calling and conducting such election, and the method of issuing said bonds; directing the levy, assessment and collection of a tax for the payment of principal and interest of said bonds; providing for the custody and disbursement of the funds of the district; providing that in awarding contracts for road construction the commissioners' court shall advertise for bids and shall award the contract to the lowest and best bidder; providing that the fact that a portion of the district hereby created is also included in another road district having outstanding bonds shall not affect the district hereby created or its powers hereby granted; determining that all of the lands in said district will be benefited by additional road improvements; providing that the provisions of this act shall prevail in the event of conflict with any other general or special laws; providing that if any provision hereof is held to be invalid such holding shall not affect the other provisions hereof; and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,

E. R. LINDLEY,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

House Concurrent Resolution 212

The following resolution, received from the House today, was laid before the Senate:

H. C. R. No. 212, To correct H. B.

No. 410, heretofore passed by the Senate and House.

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Shivers and by unanimous consent, it was considered immediately.

Senator Shivers offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend H. C. R. No. 212 to hereafter read as follows: It was the intent of the Legislature that paragraph (2) of Section 6 of House Bill No. 410 should be included in and pertain to Section 4 of House Bill No. 410.

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 74

Senator Hardin, by unanimous consent, offered at this time the following resolution:

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That the joint rules of the Forty-sixth Legislature be suspended in so far as it applies to House Joint Resolution No. 1 in order that the Senate may take up and consider at this time said resolution.

HARDIN,
VAN ZANDT.

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Hardin and by unanimous consent, it was considered immediately.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Pace
Beck	Redditt
Burns	Roberts
Collie	Shivers
Graves	Small
Hardin	Spears
Hill	Stone
Isbell	of Galveston
Kelley	Stone
Lanning	of Washington
Lemens	Sulak
Martin	Van Zandt
Metcalf	Weinert
Moffett	Winfield
Nelson	

Nays—3

Cotten
Head

Moore

Absent

Brownlee

House Concurrent Resolution 198

The following resolution, received from the House today, was laid before the Senate:

H. C. R. No. 198, To provide that H. B. No. 912, the liquor control bill, previously passed by the Senate and House, shall take effect immediately.

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Roberts, it was considered immediately.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—21

Brownlee
Graves
Hardin
Head
Isbell
Kelley
Martin
Metcalf
Moore
Nelson
Pace
ReddittRoberts
Shivers
Small
Stone
of Galveston
Stone
of Washington
Sulak
Van Zandt
Weinert
Winfield

Nays—7

Aikin
Beck
Burns
CollieCotten
Lanning
Lemens

Absent

Hill
Moffett

Spears

House Concurrent Resolution 209

The following resolution, previously received from the House, was laid before the Senate:

H. C. R. No. 209, Allocating a certain sum of money out of contingent expense fund of the Legislature for use of committee to be appointed pursuant to H. B. No. 933, the "school aid bill."

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Van Zandt and by

unanimous consent, it was considered immediately.

The resolution was adopted.

Message from the House

A Clerk from the House was recognized to present the following message:

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas, June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

S. C. R. No. 72, suspending certain Joint Rules for the purpose of considering H. B. No. 419.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to H. B. No. 419 by a viva voce vote.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to H. B. No. 950 by a vote of 125 ayes, 3 noes.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to H. C. R. No. 212 by a viva voce vote.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to H. B. No. 380 by a vote of 125 ayes, 0 noes.

The House has adopted the Conference Committee report on H. B. No. 580 by a vote of 76 ayes, 48 noes.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to H. B. No. 1114 by a viva voce vote.

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to H. B. No. 792 by a vote of 122 ayes, 0 noes.

The House has adopted the Conference Committee report on S. B. No. 490 by a vote of 112 ayes, 11 noes.

The House has passed the following:

S. C. R. No. 63, Permitting H. H. Friar, et al., to sue the State of Texas.

S. C. R. No. 74, Suspending Joint Rules of House and Senate for purpose of considering H. J. R. No. 1.

S. C. R. No. 67, Pertaining to "stamp" plan for distribution of certain foods.

Respectfully submitted,

E. R. LINDLEY,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Senate Resolution 104

Senator Isbell, by unanimous consent, offered at this time the following resolution:

Be it Resolved by the Senate, That the following named employees be retained for the number of days, and at the per diem salary, specified in each case to perform such duties as may be required of them in connection with the business of the State, viz:

The Secretary of the Senate shall be retained during the interval between adjournment of this session and convening of the next session of the Legislature for which services he shall receive the same per diem he now receives, and in addition thereto, he shall be furnished postage, telegraph, telephone, express and all other expenses incident to the office. He shall be allowed the services of one secretary who shall receive the same per diem she now receives.

The Lieutenant Governor shall be allowed six (6) dollars per day for secretarial services from the closing of this session until the convening of the next session and said sum shall be expended as he may direct.

One Warrant Clerk shall be retained for three (3) days at \$5.00 per day; the Journal Clerk shall be retained for a period of ninety (90) days at \$7.50 per day, and the Assistant Journal Clerk shall be retained for ninety (90) days at \$5.00 per day. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall be retained fifteen (15) days at \$7.50 per day, with one assistant fifteen (15) days at \$5.00 per day and two (2) assistants for twelve (12) days at \$5.00 per day. One head porter for six days at \$4.00 per day, with five extra porters for 6 days at \$2.50 per day. The Calendar Clerk shall be retained 5 days at \$7.50 per day, and the Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk shall be retained three days at \$7.50 per day. The private secretary of each Senator may be retained for three days at \$5.00 per day to perform such duties as may be required of them. The Postmistress shall be

retained three (3) days at \$5.00 per day, after which time the Secretary of the Senate shall attend to all mail of the Senators. One P. B. X. Operator shall be retained three (3) days at \$5.00 per day; the Librarian of the Senate shall be retained three (3) days at \$5.00 per day; the Mailing Clerk and two assistants for three (3) days at \$5.00 per day. The Chairman of the Senate Committee on Contingent Expense is hereby authorized and directed to cause the Senate Chamber to be placed in order and an inventory made of all furniture and fixtures in the Senate Chamber and in the private offices of the members, as well as of the supplies and equipment on hand in the room of the Sergeant-at-Arms, and close his books for the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature, and he shall be entitled to receive his actual and necessary expenses incurred while in the performances of such services. He shall also examine all records and accounts payable out of the Contingent Expense Fund as shall be necessary properly to approve all claims and accounts against the Senate, and no claim or account shall be paid without his consent and approval.

The Lieutenant Governor shall appoint a Custodian of the Senate and an Assistant Custodian to perform such services as the Lieutenant Governor or the Secretary of the Senate may direct and the Custodian to receive the sum of One Hundred Twenty-five (\$125.00) Dollars per month and the Assistant Custodian to receive Eighty (\$80.00) Dollars per month.

The Lieutenant Governor is authorized to employ a head porter to serve as he shall direct in keeping the Senate Chamber in order during the interval between this session and the next ensuing session of the Legislature, for which services said porter shall receive Ninety (\$90.00) Dollars per month. The Special Porter serving as mail clerk shall be retained three (3) days at \$3.50 per day, for such services as shall be directed by the Secretary of the Senate. Be it further

Resolved, That there shall be printed seven hundred fifty (750) volumes of the Senate Journals of the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature, and when completed, two hundred fifty (250) copies shall be bound in buckram and delivered to the Secretary of State and one volume

thus bound shall be forwarded by the Secretary of State to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives, to the Lieutenant Governor and Secretary of the Senate, and twenty-five (25) copies shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Senate, and the remainder shall be retained by the Secretary of State. The printing of such Senate Journals shall be done in accordance with the provisions of this resolution under supervision of the Chairman of the Committee on Contingent Expense; provided further, that it shall be the duty of said Chairman to refuse to receive or to receipt for said Journals until corrected and published in accordance with the pre-existing law and as finally approved by the Chairman of Committee on Contingent Expense of the Senate. When the accounts have been certified to by the Board of Control, and approved by the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Contingent Expense, said accounts shall be paid out of the Contingent Expense Fund of the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature. Be it further

Resolved, That all salaries herein authorized to be incurred and paid for shall be paid out of the per diem and contingent Expense Fund of the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature upon warrants signed by the Lieutenant-Governor and the Secretary of the Senate. All warrants for the payment of materials, supplies and expenses of the Senate shall be paid upon warrants signed by the President of the Senate and the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Contingent Expense; be it further

Resolved, That the Lieutenant Governor and the Secretary of the Senate are hereby authorized to have the Manual recodified, indexed, and printed in sufficient numbers to furnish the officers and members of the Senate with copies thereof, and to the Press, said Manual to contain the Senate Rules as herein amended, the Rules of the House of Representatives, the Texas Constitution, the Joint Rules of both Houses, a roster of the membership and officers of both Houses, and the standing committees of both Houses, and to pay the cost thereof out of the Contingent Expense Fund; be it further

Resolved, That thirty-three (33) copies of Harlow's Session Laws, edited by Worth Ray, be purchased

and paid for out of the Contingent Expense Fund at a price not to exceed \$5.00 per volume and that a copy of said laws be mailed to each Senator, one to the Lieutenant Governor, and one copy to be retained in the office of the Secretary of the Senate; be it further

Resolved, That the furniture and furnishings in the offices of each Senator shall not be removed unless authorized by the Senator or in the event of retirement of the Senator, then by the Secretary of the Senate.

The Secretary of the Senate is hereby authorized to have all necessary repairs made to the Senate Chamber and offices for the use of the Senate, and same to be paid out of the Contingent Expense Fund; be it further

Resolved, That no supplies or stamps shall be issued to the members of the Senate during the interval between the closing of this session and the convening of the next session of the Legislature, other than the personal stationery of each Senator.

ISELL,
SHIVERS,
WINFIELD,
LANNING.

The resolution was read; and on motion of Senator Isbell and by unanimous consent, it was considered immediately.

Question—Shall the resolution be adopted?

Senator Aikin offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend Senate Resolution No. 104 by adding the following at the end of said Resolution:

The Chairman of the Contingent Expense Committee is authorized to pay the account of \$75.00 for repairs of frames to paintings in Senate Chamber.

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was adopted.

Election of President Pro Tempore Ad Interim

The President announced the next business in order is the election of President Pro Tempore Ad Interim.

Senator Roberts nominated Hon. Albert Stone of Washington County

to be President Pro Tempore Ad Interim.

Senators Aikin, Lemens, Moore, Small, Cotten, Pace, Martin, Sulak, Winfield, Van Zandt, Collie, and Shivers seconded the nomination of Hon. Albert Stone.

The President appointed Senators Pace, Graves and Stone of Galveston to take up and count the ballots.

The ballots were taken up and counted.

The President announced that Hon. Albert Stone had received 30 votes and declared him duly elected President Pro Tempore of the Senate Ad Interim.

Hon. Albert Stone and Mrs. Stone and Miss Mary Stone were escorted to the President's stand by Senator Roberts.

Hon. Albert Stone then took the constitutional oath of office, which was administered by the President.

Senator Roberts presented Hon. Albert Stone and Mrs. Stone and Miss Mary Stone to the Senate.

President Pro Tempore Ad Interim Stone then addressed the Senate briefly and thanked the Senators for the honor conferred upon him.

Committees to Notify the Governor and the House

Senator Aikin offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 105)

Whereas the hour has arrived for sine die adjournment pursuant to the resolution adopted by both Houses, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the President of the Senate appoint a committee of five Members of the Senate to notify the Governor and also a committee of five Members of the Senate to notify the House that the Senate is ready to adjourn sine die.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Accordingly, the President appointed the following committees:

To notify the Governor: Senators Martin, Aikin, Stone of Washington, Isbell and Collie.

To notify the House: Senators Burns, Lanning, Beck, Moffett and Lemens.

(Senator Isbell in the Chair.)

Senate Bill 435 with House Amendments

Senator Burns called S. B. No. 435 from the President's table, for consideration of the House amendments to the bill.

The President laid the bill and the House amendments before the Senate.

Question—Shall the Senate concur in the House amendments?

On motion of Senator Burns, the Senate concurred in the House amendments.

(President in the Chair.)

The President announced that the Senate would stand at ease subject to the call of the Chair.

While the Senate was standing at ease, President Pro Tempore Moore, and Senators Metcalfe, Isbell and Brownlee, respectively, occupied the Chair temporarily.

(President in the Chair.)

Bills and Resolutions Signed

The President signed, in the presence of the Senate, after their captions had been read, the following enrolled bills and resolutions:

S. B. No. 179, "An Act to amend Sections 13 and 15 of House Bill No. 749, Chapter 240, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, requiring distributors or dealers of motor fuel upon which a refund of the tax may be authorized to secure permit or license from the State Comptroller; providing for the control of invoices of exemption by the State Comptroller, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 224, "An Act granting and donating to each respective county of this State for a period of five years beginning with the taxable year 1939 all the State ad valorem taxes, not heretofore donated or appropriated to any county, district, city, or other political subdivision, collected for general revenue purposes upon the property and from persons

in each respective county, including ad valorem taxes on rolling stock belonging to railroad companies, for the use of each respective county for the purposes of constructing improvements to prevent soil erosion, flood control, irrigation and drainage projects, reforestation and road building and further providing that said taxes shall be levied, assessed and collected in the manner provided by law and the Assessor and Collector in each county shall forward his report to the Comptroller covering said collections and shall pay over to the County Treasurer of each respective county all moneys collected by him at the end of each month, except such amounts as may be allowed by the law for collecting and assessing said taxes; requiring said Assessor and Collector to forward a duplicate copy of the receipt given him by County Treasurer for said moneys to the State Comptroller and defining the purposes and intention of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 426, "An Act making appropriations to pay deficiency appropriations granted by the Governor during the fiscal years beginning September 1, 1936 and ending August 31, 1938, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 546, "An Act amending Chapter 57, Local and Special Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the Third Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, by changing the name of Blythe County Line Independent School District in Gaines, Terry and Yoakum Counties to Seagraves Independent School District; redefining the boundaries of said school district; providing that all outstanding bonded and other indebtedness of Blythe County Line Independent School District shall be validated and made a valid obligation against the Seagraves Independent School District; providing that title of all public free school property of said Blythe County Line Independent School District shall vest in said Seagraves Independent School District; providing that in all other respects, the rights, powers, duties and obligations imposed upon Blythe County Line Independent School District and its trustees shall not be affected in any manner, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 791, "An Act making it unlawful to take or kill by trap, snare, or deadfall any fur-bearing animals in the Counties of Harrison and Gregg; providing certain exceptions; providing the length of this Act; prescribing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 836, "An Act amending Section 3 of Article 5221-C, Title 83 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, exempting certain boilers within the city limits of cities having a population of 290,000, or over, from inspection, inspection fees, etc., and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 933, "An Act making an appropriation for the next biennium, for the purpose of promoting public school interest and equalizing the educational opportunities afforded by the State to all children of scholastic age within the State; making allocations of said appropriation, setting forth the benefits thereof; authorizing aid to such schools in accordance with the conditions specified herein; providing for the maintenance for a certain length of term of all schools meeting the requirements of this Act; providing for the payment each year of the biennium of high school tuition for rural school pupils; providing for the payment of Transportation Aid under certain conditions; specifying the penalties for violations of any provision of this Act; declaring it to be unlawful for any agent or employee of the State to violate any provision of this Act, and prescribing the punishment therefor; providing all costs of administering funds named in this Act shall be paid out of moneys appropriated in this Act under authority of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction under the direction of the Supervisory Board as provided for in this Act; authorizing the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, under the direction of the Supervisory Board as provided for in this Act, to administer the funds appropriated herein; providing purposes for which funds appropriated hereunder may be used; providing for the method and manner of appointing certain employees; providing for application for aid; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 971, "An Act fixing the compensation of Tax Collector-Assessor, County Clerk, District

Clerk, Sheriff and County Auditor in all counties in this State having a population of not less than forty-eight thousand five hundred and forty (48,540), and not more than forty-eight thousand, five hundred and eighty (48,580), according to the last Federal Census, or any subsequent Federal Census; fixing mode and manner of payment of such salaries; fixing effective date; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, to the extent of the conflict only, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 990, "An Act amending Article 7117, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended, Acts, 1929, Forty-first Legislature, First Called Session, Chapter 50, page 109, Section 1, defining transfers in contemplation of death and providing for a tax on same; amending Article 7118, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended, Acts, 1935, Forty-fourth Legislature, Chapter 356, page 922, paragraph 1; amending Article 7119, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended, Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, Chapter 62, page 87, Section 1; amending Article 7120, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925; amending Article 7121, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended, Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, Chapter 62, page 87, Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, Chapter 72, page 109, Acts, 1933, Forty-third Legislature, Chapter 192, page 581, Section 2-b, Subsection 20, providing in each case for an increase in taxes by lowering the brackets and increasing the rates of taxation to each class; amending Article 7125, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended, Acts, 1929, Forty-first Legislature, Chapter 26, page 60, Section 1, so as to more clearly define deductions permissible for inheritance tax purposes; amending Article 7130, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, so as to provide for notice of appraisement to the Comptroller and providing for judicial review of the report of appraisement; amending Article 7131, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, so as to provide for suspension of assessment of inheritance taxes pending a judicial review thereof; amending Section 9, Chapter 192, page 588, Acts of 1933, Forty-third Legislature, Regular Session and providing

for certification of probate papers to the Comptroller, assessing the costs to the estate; providing for the giving of such information to the Comptroller and fixing a penalty for violation; amending Article 7135, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, and providing for the approval by the Comptroller of a County Judge's finding that no inheritance tax is due; declaring that the provisions of this Act shall be severable; saving to the State any claim for inheritance tax existing under the laws in effect prior to the enactment of this Act; and providing for the collection of such taxes; repealing all laws in conflict with this Act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1000, "An Act applicable to the Counties of Mason, Menard, Kerr, Schleicher, Crockett, Sutton, Kimble, Real, Edwards, Blanco, Llano, Kendall, Gillespie, El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Val Verde, Kinney, Maverick, Terrell, and Brewster, State of Texas; requiring a Resident Hunting License of any resident citizen of this State hunting in said Counties, with certain exemptions; requiring a Resident Fishing License of any resident citizen of this State fishing in said Counties, with certain exemptions; providing that no such fishing license shall be necessary in salt water; providing for the remittance to the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission of all funds collected under the provisions of this Act and providing for the disposition of same; providing suitable penalties for violation of any provision of this Act; repealing all laws, in so far as they conflict with any provision of this Act; providing the rule of construction; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1009, "An Act amending Article 600a, Section 36, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as amended Acts, 1937, Forty-fifth Legislature, Senate Bill No. 142, Section 2, so as to provide that in no event shall the expenditure for the administration of this Act exceed Sixty-five Thousand Dollars (\$65,000.00) for any one fiscal year; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1064, "An Act authorizing cities having a population of two hundred and eight-five thousand (285,000) inhabitants, or more, according to the last preceding or any future Federal Census, to extend by

ordinance their boundary so as to include in such cities all publicly owned or publicly operated airports, flying fields and landing fields lying within a distance of ten (10) miles in air line from the ordinary limits of such cities, and in addition thereto land lying within a distance of three thousand (3,000) feet of the exterior limits of such airports, flying fields, and landing fields; providing for intervening land to be included; authorizing such cities to pass ordinances, criminal and otherwise, under the general police powers to promote and protect the safe and efficient operations of said airports, flying fields, and landing fields, and particularly the power to limit the height of any building or structure within three thousand (3,000) feet of the exterior limits thereof; authorizing the policing of such territory; prohibiting taxing of property in said territory; declaring this Act to be severable, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1136, "An Act amending Article 2844 of the Revised Civil statutes of 1925, [relative to changing supplementary readers used as text books] and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 490, "An Act making appropriation to defray the equitable portion which the State of Texas should make available to the United States Government, or its agencies for completion of the water survey of the Rio Grande River and its watershed from Fort Quitman south to the mouth of the Rio Grande River; enacting provisions incident to and relating to the subject; and making an appropriation of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to aid and facilitate the work to be performed by the Red Bluff Water Power Control District; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1096, "An Act to create the appointive office of Assistant to the County Judge and to provide an equitable and sufficient salary thereto, repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 878, "An Act to amend Section 1 of Senate Bill No. 94, Second Called Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, Chapter 7, Special Laws of 1923; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 684, "An Act providing and authorizing that any bonds, interest thereon, or similar obligations, issued by any municipality or political subdivision of the State may be payable at the office of the State Treasurer; designating and constituting the State Treasurer, Ex-officio Treasurer and fiscal agent of such municipalities and political subdivisions for such purposes; providing for the deposit and payment of funds by municipalities and political subdivisions with the State Treasurer for such purposes; providing that the State Treasurer shall cancel and return coupons and bonds that have matured or have been retired by purchase and shall at the request of the municipality or political subdivision remit balances remaining on hand for two years for which bonds have not been presented for payment, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 926, "An Act appropriating the sum of Eight Hundred Eighty Thousand, Three Hundred Thirty-two (\$880,332.00) Dollars per year, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the next biennium beginning September 1, 1939, and ending August 31, 1941, from the General Revenue Fund for the purpose of promoting public school interests and assisting local districts in the teaching of vocational agricultural, home economics, trades and industries, general rehabilitation and rehabilitation for crippled children according to the Federal Laws governing vocational education, all of which shall be matched by Federal funds; providing for the administration, attaching conditions, regulations and limitation relative thereto, making various allocations of said appropriation; authorizing aid to such schools in accordance with the condition specified herein; providing for certain regulations concerning qualification of teachers; providing all costs of administering funds named in this Act shall be paid out of money appropriated in this Act under authority of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction under the direction of the State Board of Education; defining the powers of the State Board of Education and the State Superintendent; declaring the rule in event any provision of this Act is unconstitutional or invalid, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 255, "An Act fixing and determining a method of per capita appropriations for educational institutions of higher learning, and declaring the policy thereof; prescribing certain rules and regulations to be followed in determining said appropriations; requiring audits; making appropriations for the support, maintenance, buildings and improvements of the several State Institutions of Higher Learning for the two fiscal years, beginning September 1, 1939, and ending August 31, 1941, both dates inclusive; and for certain other educational agencies of the State, prescribing certain restrictions concerning the expenditures of said appropriations; containing a savings clause, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 256, "An Act making appropriations for the support, maintenance and improvement of the Eleemosynary and Reformatory Institutions of the State of Texas for the two-year period beginning September 1, 1939, and ending August 31, 1941, and prescribing certain regulations and restrictions in respect to the expenditure of said appropriations and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 257, "An Act making an appropriation for the support and maintenance of the Judiciary of the State of Texas for the biennium beginning September 1, 1939, and ending August 31, 1941; requiring certain fees paid to clerks or officers of all Appellate Courts to be deposited monthly in the State Treasury; prescribing certain rules and restrictions respecting expenditures of appropriations made herein; suspending all laws in conflict herewith; declaring the invalidity of any portion of this Act shall not affect any other portion, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 427, "An Act making appropriations for the support and maintenance of the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State Government for the two-year period beginning September 1, 1939, and ending August 31, 1941, and for other purposes; and declaring it unlawful for persons employed in the several departments to engage in political campaigns relating to election or re-election of any candidate or candidates for the head of such department and any public office and prescribing procedure for removal of

such employees; and making it unlawful to use any State-owned automobile in connection with any campaign relating to any measures in which the particular department by which the employee is employed is directly interested and/or in behalf of the election or re-election of any person as the head of such department; and prescribing procedure and penalties for violation of this Act; and prescribing certain other regulations and restrictions in respect to the appropriations made herein, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 111, "An Act to amend Chapter 93, Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature of the State of Texas, further defining the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture, providing certain safeguards for the purchasers of seed produced outside of Texas and shipped into Texas, providing that seed sold as registered and certified in Texas meet Texas standards, requiring permit to ship certain planting seed into Texas, providing fees for such permits, clarifying certain terms used under the Seed Certification program, providing penalties and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 476, "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Court in any county having a population of not less than 15,700 and not more than 15,800 according to the last preceding Federal Census, to allow each county commissioner certain traveling expenses while traveling on official business, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 396, "An Act declaring the sovereignty of Texas along its seacoast, fixing its present seacoast boundary and ownership, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 435, "An Act, authorizing the Commissioners' Court in certain counties, allowing each Commissioner certain expenses, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 458, "An Act providing that private corporations may be formed for the purpose of planning, holding, financing, and conducting the national reunion and convention of any recognized fraternal order when held within the State of Texas, and exercising control over all matters pertaining to such reunion and con-

vention; limiting the amount of filing fee that may be charged such corporations by the Secretary of State; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 493, "An Act amending Section 17A of Chapter 126 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, as amended by Senate Bill 21, the same being Chapter 505 of the Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 486, "An Act making an appropriation for the use of the San Antonio River Canal and Conservancy District, providing that it shall be repaid to the State of Texas; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 292, "An Act authorizing the county board of trustees in counties having a population of not less than five thousand one hundred (5,100) nor more than five thousand two hundred (5,200) as shown by the Federal Census of 1930, to set aside a certain amount of the Available School Fund apportioned to such counties to defray certain expenses in the administration of the scholastic affairs of such counties, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 478, "An Act creating and establishing Van Zandt County Road District Number 7 in Van Zandt County, Texas, under Article III, Section 52 of the Constitution for the purpose of the construction, operation and maintenance of macadamized, graveled or paved roads or turnpikes, or in aid thereof; describing the territory included therein; making the district a body corporate with authority to sue and be sued; authorizing the district to issue bonds upon two-thirds vote of the property tax-paying voters voting at an election; prescribing the method of calling and conducting such election, and the method of issuing said bonds; directing the levy; assessment and collection of a tax for the payment of principal and interest of said bonds; providing for the custody and disbursement of the funds of the district; providing that in awarding contracts for road construction the commissioners' court shall advertise for bids and shall award the contract to the lowest and best bidder; providing that the fact

that a portion of the district hereby created is also included in another road district having outstanding bonds shall not affect the district hereby created or its powers hereby granted; determining that all of the lands in said district will be benefited by additional road improvements; providing that the provisions of this act shall prevail in the event of conflict with any other general or special laws; providing that if any provision hereof is held to be invalid such holding shall not affect the other provisions hereof; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 489, "An Act making an appropriation for the Sabine-Neches Conservation District; designating who shall have authority to execute vouchers under the direction and with the consent of Directors of said District; limiting the purposes for which the money may be spent; providing money therein appropriated is intended as a loan and is to be repaid to the State's General Revenue Fund from the first revenue received by said District; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 17, "An Act providing a title for the Act; providing the definition of certain words, terms and phrases; providing certain exemptions; providing any one act prohibited herein shall be a violation hereof; providing for the administration of the Act; providing certain procedure for securing real estate dealers' and real estate salesmen's licenses and for certain information to be supplied by applicant and requiring the recommendation of the applicant by three real estate owners; providing a partnership, association or corporation licensed under the Act can designate one of its members or officers to be licensed as a real estate dealer without additional charge and imposing certain restrictions; providing any member of partnership or officer of association or corporation not designated required to be licensed before acting as a real estate dealer and imposing restrictions, etc., and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 580, "An Act authorizing and empowering any city to issue its negotiable bonds, payable from revenues other than taxation, for the purchase, construction, repair, improvement, extension, or enlargement of its water system, sanitary sewer

system, natural gas system, or electric light and power system, the purchase of additional water powers, lands for reservoirs, sewage disposal plants, and other water or sewer purposes, etc.; providing that such bonds shall not be issued unless the proposition is first submitted to and authorized by a majority of the qualified voters who own taxable property in such city, etc.; etc.; authorizing the governing body of any such city to create additional indebtedness etc., but the lien of such additional bonds shall be junior and subordinate to the lien of the bonds or obligations then outstanding against such system; etc.; validating revenue bonds etc.; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 688, "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 6 of Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and to amend Section 7 of Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, as amended by Chapter 136, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature, as amended by Chapter 117, Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-third Legislature, as amended by Chapter 326, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, and as amended by Chapter 370, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, relative to the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness; and providing that if any portion hereof be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remaining part shall, nevertheless, be in full force and effect; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1061, "An Act providing amount of payment to the Executive Committee, in order to have the name placed on official ballot for Representative and Floterial Representative in certain counties; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith to the extent of the conflict only, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 792, "An Act to amend Article 6053 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925 by providing regulations for the design, installation, construction and operation of containers and pertinent equipment for the storage, handling and transportation of butane or liquefied petroleum gases, empowering the Rail-

road Commission to alter and amend such regulations; providing that persons, firms and corporations engaged in the manufacture and/or assembly, sale or installation of liquefied gas storage and dispensing apparatus and/or handling and/or transporting liquefied petroleum gas must have a license and must file with the Railroad Commission of Texas a bond protecting the public from injuries or loss arising from a violation of this Act; etc., and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 419, "An Act amending Section 3 of House Bill No. 352, of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Chapter 436, page 893, exempting certain boilers from the provisions of said Act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 380, "An Act applying to counties which have a population of five thousand, five hundred and eighty-six (5,586) in the Federal Census of 1930 and a scholastic population of one thousand, six hundred and ninety-four (1,694) in the scholastic year 1938-1939, and providing exemptions relative to tax rates and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 950, "An Act to amend Sections two (2), four (4), five (5), seven (7), and eight b (8b), and to repeal Section eight (8) of H. B. No. 557, Acts of the Forty-fifth Legislature of the State of Texas as amended by S. B. No. 24 of the First Called Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature and H. B. No. 78 of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature; said Section two (2) to be amended by providing a definition of 'contract dealer,' and 'cash dealer,' and by providing that the term 'agent' shall comprehend 'transporting agent'; said Section four (4) to be amended so as to provide a license fee for cash dealers; Said Section five (5) to be amended to provide for the bonding of commission merchants and contract dealers; Said Section seven (7) to be amended so as to provide a maximum fine in the sum of \$200.00 for violation of the Act; Said Section eight b (8b) to be amended so as to provide that the bonding requirements of this Act shall be applicable only to persons engaging in business as commission merchants or contract dealers; Repealing Section eight (8) of said H. B.

No. 557, providing a saving clause and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1114, "An Act to prohibit the taking of fish in Kimble, Kerr, Edwards, Real, Sutton, Bandera, Mason, Menard, Blanco, Llano, Kendall or Gillespie Counties with any device equipped with more than two (2) hooks, prohibiting the use of floats except in certain cases, etc., and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 723, "An Act making appropriations to pay miscellaneous claims out of the General Fund; providing that before payment of any claim shall be paid from funds hereby appropriated the same shall have the approval of the State Comptroller, the State Auditor, and the Attorney General, and provided further that any claim involving the refund of a franchise tax shall also carry the approval of the Secretary of State in addition to the other officials herein named, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1141, "An Act creating a special road law for Frio County, Texas, providing that said County may fund or refund the indebtedness outstanding against its Road and Bridge Fund as of June 12th, 1939, setting forth the method of operation; validating the indebtedness proposed to be funded or refunded; providing this law shall be cumulative of General Laws on the subject of roads and bridges and General Laws on funding or refunding bonds not in conflict herewith; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

H. J. R. No. 45, Proposing an amendment to Article 8, Section 9, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 9-A; providing that the Commissioners' Court of Red River County, after a majority vote of the resident qualified electors owning taxable property therein, shall have the authority to levy a tax of not to exceed Twenty-five (25c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollar valuation for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) years for the purpose of refunding the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of the County by the issuance of bonds under the provisions of the general laws regulating the refunding of

outstanding debts of the County; providing for the necessary proclamation; and appropriating funds to defray the expenses of the proclamation; publication and election.

S. C. R. No. 64, Authorizing Highway Department to lend certain discarded wire to Blinn College.

S. C. R. No. 65, Providing that in case any word, clause, sentence, or part of Senate Bill No. 320 be adjudged by any Court of Competent or final jurisdiction to be invalid, the judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of said Senate Bill No. 320.

S. C. R. No. 66, Authorizing State Park Board to investigate feasibility of accepting certain tract of land for State park purposes.

S. C. R. No. 68, Authorizing the State Highway Department of Texas to loan to the Carmine School District certain discarded wire for fencing purposes.

S. C. R. No. 69, Providing that the joint rules be suspended to the extent necessary for the House to consider Senate Bill No. 458.

S. C. R. No. 70, Providing that all joint rules prohibiting the consideration of bills during the last twenty-four (24) hours be suspended, etc.

S. C. R. No. 71, Suspending Section 9 of the joint rules, and all other rules so that House Bill No. 83 may be further considered and finally passed.

S. C. R. No. 63, Permitting H. H. Friar, et al., to sue the State of Texas.

S. C. R. No. 74, Suspending joint rules of House and Senate for purpose of considering H. J. R. No. 1.

S. C. R. No. 67, Pertaining to "stamp" plan for distribution of certain foods.

H. C. R. No. 212, Authorizing certain corrections in H. B. No. 410.

H. C. R. No. 157, Urging the Government of the United States to make use of cotton twine instead of jute twine.

H. C. R. No. 198, Giving immediate effect to House Bill No. 912 of the

Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature.

H. C. R. No. 200, Granting Tilford Moore permission to sue the State of Texas and/or State Highway Department.

H. C. R. No. 201, Granting the District Judges of certain Districts in the State of Texas permission to leave the State during the years 1939 and 1940.

H. C. R. No. 209, Allocating a certain sum of money out of the contingent expense fund of the Legislature for use of the committee to be appointed pursuant to H. B. No. 933.

H. C. R. No. 199, Granting leaves of absence to the District Judges of the Counties of Dallas, Harris, Bexar, Tarrant, and Ellis.

S. C. R. No. 72, Suspending the Joint Rules so as to permit certain corrections to be made in H. B. No. 419.

S. C. R. No. 73, Suspending the Joint Rules so as to permit consideration and passage of H. B. No. 545.

House Notified

The Committee appointed to notify the House that the Senate has completed its labors and is now ready to adjourn sine die appeared at the bar of the Senate, and Senator Burns, of the Committee, announced the duty assigned it had been performed.

Governor Notified

The Committee appointed to notify the Governor appeared at the bar of the Senate; and Senator Martin, of the Committee, announced the duty assigned it had been performed.

Senate Notified

A Committee of five Members of the House appeared at the bar of the Senate, and Mr. McNamara, of the Committee, notified the Senate that the House has completed its labors and is now ready to adjourn sine die.

Adjournment Sine Die

Senator Brownlee moved that the Senate adjourn sine die.

The motion prevailed, and the Senate accordingly, at 12:00 o'clock m., adjourned sine die.

APPENDIX

Reports of Committees on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 70 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly engrossed.

LANNING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 71 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly engrossed.

LANNING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 433 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 261 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 179 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 68
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 224
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 64
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 70
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 69
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 66
carefully examined, compared and

read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 20, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 65
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 19, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 427
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 73
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 490
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-
rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 72
carefully examined, compared and
read, and find same correctly en-
rolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of
the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-

rolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 74 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 111 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 63 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. C. R. No. 67 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 476 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 486 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 489 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 396 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 435 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 458 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 478 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 292

carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
June 21, 1939.

Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, have had S. B. No. 493 carefully examined, compared and read, and find same correctly enrolled.

STONE of Galveston, Chairman.

Communication

Hillsboro, Texas,
June 19, 1939.

The Senate of Texas,
Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas.

We are profoundly touched by the interest you have manifested in the recent illness and death of our beloved husband and father. We desire to express our sincere appreciation for every act of kindness and courtesy extended by you, the body he loved so well.

MRS. WILL M. MARTIN,
and Children.

Statement of Expenditures from Contingent Expense Fund of Senate

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, June 30, 1939.

Mr. Noel K. Brown, Journal Clerk, State Senate,
Regular Session, Forty-sixth Legislature,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Mr. Brown:

I am herewith submitting to you an itemized statement of the expenditures of the Senate for contingent expenses during the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature, same to be printed in the Senate Journal. This statement shows all payments made up to and including June 30, 1939.

Acme Glass Co.

Voucher No. 213

Cutting Glass 24x36	\$.50		\$.50
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Alphin, C. A.

Voucher No. 36

12 bottles correction fluid	5.88		5.88
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Voucher No. 119

Rental 1 typewriter 1 month.....	4.00		
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Rental 6 typewriters 1-10-39 to 2-10-39.....	24.00		28.00
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Voucher No. 146

12 bottles correction fluid	5.88		
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10 lbs. Duplicator Ink	14.00		19.88
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Voucher No. 218

10 lbs. Duplicator Ink	14.00		14.00
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Voucher No. 482

Rental 4 typewriters 6-10-39 to 6-21-39.....	6.00		6.00
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American Publishing Co.

Voucher No. 171

4 copies Austin American 2-10-39 to 3-10-39..	3.00		
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1 copy Austin American 2-10-39 to 2-23-39..	.33		
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5 copies Austin American 2-10-39 to 3-10-39..	3.75		
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1 copy Austin Statesman 2-10-39 to 2-22-39..	.30		7.38
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Voucher No. 334

4 copies Austin American 3-10-39 to 5-10-39..	6.00		
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5 copies Austin Statesman 3-10-39 to 5-10-39..	7.50		13.50
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Voucher No. 434

4 copies Austin American 5-10-39 to 6-10-39..	3.00		
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5 copies Austin Statesman 5-10-39 to 6-10-39..	3.75		6.75
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Voucher No. 446

4 copies Austin American 6-10-39 to 6-21-39..	1.20		
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5 copies Austin Statesman 6-10-39 to 6-21-39..	1.50		2.70
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The American Statesman

Voucher No. 132

5 copies Statesman 1-10-39 to 2-10-39.....	3.75		
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American-Statesman

Voucher No. 132

5 copies Evening Stateman 1-18-39.....	4.35		8.10
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Andrewartha, J. O.

Voucher No. 163

4 electric pull sockets	1.00		1.00
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Armour & Company

Voucher No. 219

10 gallons liquid soap	5.87		5.87
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Voucher No. 428

10 gallons liquid soap	5.87		5.87
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Voucher No. 509

10 gallons liquid soap	5.87		5.87
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Austin Coca Cola Bottling Company		
Voucher 391		
5 cases distilled water	3.00	3.00
Austin Ice Company		
Voucher No. 463		
12,325 lbs. ice @ 34c	41.91	41.91
Austin University of Business		
Voucher No. 121		
50 pads stenotype paper	3.00	
3 stenotype ribbons	1.20	4.20
Avalanche-Journal Publishing Co.		
Voucher No. 326		
Subscription Lubbock Morning Avalanche and Evening Journal 1-13-39 to 5-9-39	2.75	2.75
Barker, Bob		
Voucher No. 2		
Reimbursement for P. O. box rent paid 4-1-38 to 3-31-39	12.00	12.00
Voucher No. 46		
Reimbursement for miscellaneous expenditures	60.00	60.00
Becker Lumber Co.		
Voucher No. 31		
1 gavel block	1.50	1.50
Brill, A. W.		
Voucher No. 26		
2½ doz. shoe paste	1.30	1.30
Voucher No. 450		
Miscellaneous Janitor's supplies	3.70	3.70
Bremond, John Co.		
Voucher No. 142		
24 cans Sani Flush		
18 cans Bon Ami	7.50	7.50
Brown Express Co.		
Voucher No. 7		
Transporting forms	7.60	7.60
Brown, Noel K.		
Voucher No. 466		
Rental typewriter 5½ months	22.00	22.00
Brownsville Herald		
Voucher No. 154		
Subscription Herald 1-12-39 to 3-12-39	1.50	1.50
Brownwood Bulletin		
Voucher No. 324		
Subscription Bulletin 1-10-39 to 5-10-39	3.00	3.00
Butler, T. B. Pub. Co.		
Voucher No. 323		
Subscription Courier-Times 1-13-39 to 5-13-39 .	3.00	3.00
Calcasieu Lumber Co.		
Voucher No. 90		
8 pieces moulding, 1 piece 3x8.....	2.42	2.42
Capital Printing Co.		
Voucher No. 61		
Printing 6000 letterheads.....	19.33	19.33
Voucher No. 64		
Printing postal cards, requisitions, vouchers, envelopes, roll calls, second sheets, and punching blank sheets	72.25	72.25
Voucher No. 124		
Printing roll calls, postal cards, letterheads, requisitions, and printing marginal ruled paper	89.19	89.19

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Voucher No. 360		
Printing letterheads, Notary cards, and postal cards	30.47	30.47
Voucher No. 361		
Printing letterheads, envelopes, postals, punching looseleaf sheets	46.36	46.36
Voucher No. 362		
Printing envelopes, postals, letterheads.....	52.34	52.34
Voucher No. 363		
Printing letterheads, envelopes, Notary cards	63.80	63.80
Voucher No. 364		
Printing Notary cards, paired slips.....	7.25	7.25
Voucher No. 483		
Printing postal cards, vouchers, letterheads, requisitions	18.93	18.93
Carpenter Envelope Co.		
Voucher No. 110		
50M Newswraps	60.00	60.00
Voucher No. 293		
50M Newswraps	60.00	60.00
Voucher No. 460		
50M Newswraps	60.00	60.00
Carter Publishing Co.		
Voucher No. 320		
Subscription Fort Worth Telegram 2-5-39 to 5-10-39	3.95	3.95
Cleburne Times-Review		
Voucher No. 433		
Subscription 1-10-39 to 5-10-39.....	2.00	2.00
Davis, Nelson & Son		
Voucher No. 150		
2 cs. matches	7.16	7.16
Voucher No. 316		
6 steel tissue fixtures.....	5.40	5.40
Voucher No. 384		
5 cs. toilet paper.....	14.50	14.50
Dement Cabinet Shop		
Voucher No. 440		
Making parts, assembling and gluing and upholstering where necessary and general repair to nineteen (19) chairs	35.00	35.00
Dispatch-Journal, The		
Voucher No. 331		
Subscription Dispatch-Journal 1-18-39 to 5-17-39	2.00	2.00
Dixie Disinfectant Co.		
Voucher No. 35		
10 gals. disinfectant	9.00	9.00
Voucher No. 222		
10 gals. disinfectant	9.00	9.00
Dunlap, Joe S.		
Voucher No. 319		
Subscription S. A. Light 1-10-39 to 5-10-39...	3.00	3.00
Voucher No. 430		
Subscription S. A. Light 5-10-39 to 6-10-39...	.75	.75
Voucher No. 456		
Subscription S. A. Light 6-10-39 to 6-21-39...	.30	.30
Eisonlohr, T. G.		
Voucher No. 191		
To transcribing testimony adduced at the investigation of the Game, Fish & Oyster Commission January 17, 18, 19, 1938, as provided S. R. No. 14, passed Tuesday, October 12,		

1937, at the Second Called Session of the 45th Legislature	247.50	247.50
El Paso Herald-Post		
Voucher No. 128		
Subscription Herald-Post 1-12-39 to 2-12-39..	.75	.75
Voucher No. 480		
Subscription Herald-Post 2-12-39 to 6-21-39..	3.28	3.28
El Paso Times		
Voucher No. 129		
Subscription Times 1-13-39 to 2-13-39.....	.85	.85
Voucher No. 479		
Subscription Times 2-13-39 to 6-21-39.....	3.89	3.89
Enterprise Co., The		
Voucher No. 130		
Subscription Beaumont Enterprise 1-12-39 to 2-12-39	1.25	1.25
Voucher No. 170		
Subscription Beaumont Enterprise 2-12-39 to 3-12-39	1.25	1.25
Voucher No. 241		
Subscription Beaumont Enterprise 3-12-39 to 4-12-39	1.25	1.25
Voucher No. 322		
Subscription Beaumont Enterprise 4-12-39 to 5-12-39	1.25	1.25
Voucher No. 442		
Subscription Beaumont Enterprise 5-12-39 to 6-21-39	1.62	1.62
Express Publishing Co.		
Voucher No. 328		
6 copies Express and News 1-10-39 to 5-10-39	19.00	19.00
Voucher No. 467		
6 copies Express and News 5-10-39 to 6-21-39	6.30	
1 copy Evening News 1-2/5 mo. ....	.63	6.93
Froelich, J. H.		
Voucher No. 38		
6 sets legal guides.....	8.95	
1000 legal folders, 500 letter folders.....	14.21	23.16
Vouchers No. 111		
1000 legal folders	10.26	
2000 legal folders	20.52	
1000 legal folders	10.26	41.04
Voucher No. 112		
24 sets guides	18.95	
36 sets guides	19.04	37.99
Voucher No. 145		
5000 legal folders	51.29	51.29
Voucher No. 271		
12 sets guides	4.00	4.00
Fort Worth Press, The		
Voucher No. 131		
2 copies Fort Worth Press 1-10-39 to 2-25-39..	1.50	1.50
Voucher No. 472		
2 copies Fort Worth Press 2-25-39 to 6-20-39..	4.00	4.00
Fuller, W. H.		
Voucher No. 274		
Void.		
Gideon, Mrs. S. E.		
Voucher No. 462		
Restoring picture frames in the Senate Cham- ber (7 in all) during the year 1935 or 1936..	75.00	75.00

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Globe-News Publishing Co.		
Voucher No. 325		
1 copy Amarillo Daily News 1-14-39 to 5-14-39	3.40	3.40
Gordon's Office Furniture Mart		
Voucher No. 63		
8 file cabinets	250.48	250.48
Guffin, Frank C.		
Voucher No. 169		
4 copies Dallas Times-Herald two months....	7.20	7.20
Voucher No. 432		
4 copies Dallas Times-Herald 3-10-39 to 6-10-39, \$10.80, less amount paid Times-Herald di- rect by Voucher No. 289, May 1st, 1939....	3.80	3.80
Voucher No. 497		
4 copies Dallas Times-Herald 6-10-39 to 6-21-39	1.44	1.44
Hamilton, W. M. & Sons		
Voucher No. 327		
1 copy Palestine Herald 1-12-39 to 5-12-39....	3.20	3.20
Head, J. Manley		
Voucher No. 45		
Expenses to Fort Worth via train from Fort Worth to Washington via Plane, taxi fare, hotel and meals, authority Senate Resolution 9, First Called Session 45th Legislature....	323.85	323.85
Voucher No. 248		
Mileage from Austin to Chicago via automo- bile and airplane, hotel and meals, telegraphs and telephones, etc., authority S. R. No. 54, Regular Session 46th Legislature.....	242.30	242.30
Holcomb, J. I. Mfg. Co.		
Voucher No. 352		
3 special commode brushes.....	1.30	1.30
Hudler, M. A.		
Voucher No. 422		
10 gallons pine oil disinfectant.....	12.00	12.00
Hull Stationery and Printing Co.		
Voucher No. 22		
1000 No. 22 acco fasteners.....	8.91	8.91
Voucher No. 151		
6 acco press binders	1.31	1.31
Voucher No. 189		
1 work organizer	2.20	2.20
Voucher No. 284		
6 ADL folders	1.27	1.27
Voucher No. 296		
1000 acco fasteners	8.91	8.91
Voucher No. 338		
6 acco bind folders	1.23	1.23
Voucher No. 425		
12 auto point memo fillers.....	.50	.50
Johnson & Son, Inc., S. C.		
Voucher No. 420		
8 lbs. traffic wax paste.....	1.76	1.76
Voucher No. 508		
1 household electric floor polisher.....	19.75	19.75
Kee-Lox Mfg. Co.		
Voucher No. 250		
50 boxes 8½x14 carbon	37.50	37.50
Voucher No. 337		
50 boxes 8½x14 carbon	37.50	37.50
Voucher No. 408		
100 boxes 8½x14 carbon	75.00	75.00

Kuntz-Sternenberg Lumber Co.

Voucher No. 42

1 pc. 1x10 10' clear wp		
1 pc. 1x10 10' same		
1 pc. 1x6 6' same		
1 pc. ¾" pan bd 48x60 fir.....	4.45	4.45

Voucher No. 76

1 pc. 1x10 14 wp clear		
1 pc. 1x6 4 wp clear		
1 pc. ¾" fir panel bd		
36x60 G2S	3.90	3.90

Voucher No. 97

1 pc. 1x10 12 wp clr		
1 pc. 1x10 16 same		
1 pc. 1x6 6 same		
1 pc. 4x5 ¾" fir panel GiS.....	4.95	
1 pc. 1x10 12 wp clr		
1 pc. 1x10 10 wp clr		
1 pc. 36"x48" fir panel.....	3.75	8.70

Voucher No. 166

1 pc. 1x10 12 clr wp		
1 pc. 1x10 16 clr wp		
1 pc. 1x6 6 clr wp		
1 pc. ¾" fir panel board 48x60".....	4.85	4.85

Voucher No. 192

1 pc. 1x10 12 wp clr		
1 pc. 1x10 16 wp clr		
1 pc. 1x6 6 wp clr		
1 pc. ¾" fir panel 48x60.....	4.85	4.85

Voucher No. 193

1 pc. 1x10 12 wp		
1 pc. 1x10 16 wp		
1 pc. 1x6 6 wp		
1 pc. ¾" fir panel 48x60.....	4.85	4.85

Voucher No. 453

4 pcs. 1½"x16" fas white pine S2S		
2 pcs. ¾"x4" 8 3 ply fir veneer panel G2S		
2 pcs. 4x10 ¾" masonite tempered presswood		
1 doz. drawer locks 1½" wide, No. 6090 Eagle Lock Co. for 1" wood.....	33.70	33.70

Leiper-Harper

Voucher No. 168

10 copies Houston Post 1-10-39 to 3-10-39....	18.00	
1 copy Galveston News 1-10-39 to 3-10-39....	1.50	19.50

Voucher No. 291

10 copies Houston Post 3-10-39 to 4-10-39....	9.00	
1 copy Galveston News 3-10-39 to 4-10-39....	.75	9.75

Voucher No. 394

10 copies Houston Post 4-10-39 to 5-10-39....	9.00	
1 copy Galveston News 4-10-39 to 5-10-39....	.75	9.75

Voucher No. 443

10 copies Houston Post 5-10-39 to 6-21-39....	12.60	
1 copy Galveston News 5-10-39 to 6-21-39....	1.26	13.86

Lillienstern, D. R.

Voucher No. 152

24 copies Dallas News 1-10-39 to 3-10-39.....	48.00	48.00
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Voucher No. 306

1 almanac and supplement.....	.50	
1 almanac and supplement.....	.50	
36 almanacs and supplements.....	18.00	
24 copies Dallas News 3-10-39 to 5-10-39.....	48.00	67.00

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Voucher No. 468		
24 copies Dallas News 5-10-39 to 6-10-39....	24.00	
12 days from 6-10-39 through 6-21-39.....	9.40	33.40
Mallory, Amelia		
Voucher No. 141		
Rent on typewriter 1-10-39 to 3-10-39 @ \$4.00		
per month	8.00	8.00
Voucher No. 336		
Rent on typewriter 3-10-39 to 5-10-39 @ \$4.00		
per month	8.00	8.00
Voucher No. 447		
Rent on typewriter 5-10-39 to 6-18-39 @ \$4.00		
per month	5.00	5.00
Martin, C. J. & Sons		
Voucher No. 109		
10 gallons disinfectant	12.50	12.50
Voucher No. 288		
10 gallons disinfectant	12.50	12.50
Voucher No. 367		
5 gallons disinfectant	6.25	6.25
Voucher No. 503		
10 gallons disinfectant	12.50	12.50
McKean-Eilers Co.		
Voucher No. 25		
4 doz. Lux soap	3.04	
4 pcs. American cheese cloth	9.75	
4 lbs. rubber bands, 1 lb. boxes		
7½ lbs. rubber bands, ½ lb. boxes.....	5.71	
10/12 gross steno note books.....	5.71	
2 doz. mucilage, ¼ gross paste.....	6.74	30.95
Voucher No. 65		
½ gross paste	1.32	
½ doz. note books; ½ doz. note books; ½ doz.		
note books	5.09	6.41
Voucher No. 98		
3 sets Boston ball bearing pencil sharpener		
cutters	2.70	2.70
Voucher No. 122		
4 pcs. cheese cloth.....	9.96	9.96
Voucher No. 144		
1 gross steno note books.....	6.70	6.70
Voucher No. 175		
1 gross steno note books.....	6.70	6.70
Voucher No. 227		
16 lbs. rubber bands.....	7.97	7.97
Voucher No. 242		
½ gross steno note books.....	3.43	3.43
Voucher No. 243		
4 pcs. cheese cloth.....	9.96	9.96
Voucher No. 297		
6 pcs. ribbon	1.50	1.50
Voucher No. 317		
5 pcs. ribbon less 1 pc. ribbon returned.....	1.00	
1 gross steno note books.....	6.85	7.85
Voucher No. 357		
4 pcs. cheese cloth.....	9.18	9.18
Voucher No. 366		
2½ doz. Olo palm soap		
4 doz. Lux soap.....	4.32	4.32
Voucher No. 407		
4 doz. mucilage, 4 doz. paste.....	17.44	17.44
Voucher No. 421		
1 gross steno note books.....	6.85	6.85

National Disinfectant Co.		
Voucher No. 37		
5 gallons dominant metal polish.....	10.00	10.00
Voucher No. 295		
5 gallons dominant metal polish.....	10.00	10.00
Voucher No. 454		
5 gallons dominant metal polish.....	10.00	10.00
Paxton, Frank, Lumber Co.		
Voucher No. 452		
621 feet 1½x6' and wdr. and 2x6 10' steamed walnut	157.05	157.05
Perry, E. H.		
Voucher No. 72		
Expenses incurred in preparation for the in- auguration of the Gov. and Lt. Gov. of Texas on Jan. 17, 1939, authority H. C. R. No. 4..	500.00	500.00
Pettus, S. S.		
Voucher No. 127		
15 copies Ft. Worth Star Telegram 1-10 to 2-10	12.75	
6 copies Houston Chronicle 1-10 to 2-10-39....	7.20	
2 copies Waco News Tribune 1-10 to 2-10-39..	1.50	21.45
Vouchers No. 185		
15 copies Ft. Worth Star Telegram 2-10 to 3-10-39	12.75	
1 copy Ft. Worth Star Telegram 20 days.....	.55	
7 copies Houston Chronicle 2-10 to 3-10-39...	6.30	
1 copy Houston Chronicle 17 days.....	.50	
1 copy Waco News Tribune 1-10 to 3-10-39...	.75	20.85
Voucher No. 277		
13 copies Ft. Worth Star Telegram 3-10 to 4-10-39	11.05	
9 copies Houston Chronicle 3-10 to 4-10-39...	8.10	
2 copies Waco News Tribune 3-10 to 4-10-39..	1.50	20.65
Voucher No. 333		
13 copies Ft. Worth Star Telegram 4-10-39 to 5-10-39	11.05	
9 copies Houston Chronicle 4-10-39 to 5-10-39	8.10	
2 copies Waco News Tribune 4-10 to 5-10-39..	1.50	20.65
Voucher No. 431		
13 copies Ft. Worth Star Telegram 5-10 to 6-10-39	11.05	
9 copies Houston Chronicle 5-10 to 6-10-39...	8.10	
2 copies Waco News Tribune 6-10 to 6-10-39..	1.50	20.65
Voucher No. 457		
13 copies Ft. Worth Star Telegram 6-10-39 to 6-21-39	4.68	
9 copies Houston Chronicle 6-10-39 to 6-21-39	3.24	
2 copies Waco News Tribune 6-10-39 to 6-21-39	.72	8.64
Pincham, Price, Agent		
Voucher No. 41		
Rental on 44 Underwood Typewriters 1-10-39 to 2-10-39	176.00	176.00
Voucher No. 156		
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter 2-8 to 3-8-39	4.00	4.00
Voucher No. 157		
Rental on 45 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 2-10 to 3-10-39	180.00	180.00
Voucher No. 158		
Rental on 3 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 1-30 to 2-28-39.....	12.00	12.00
Voucher No. 258		
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 2-15 to 3-15-39.....	4.00	

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Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 3-15-39 to 4-15-39.....	4.00	8.00
Voucher No. 259		
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 3-8 to 4-8-39.....	4.00	4.00
Voucher No. 260		
Rental on 3 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 2-28 to 3-30-39.....	12.00	12.00
Voucher No. 261		
Rental on 44 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 3-10 to 4-10-39.....	176.00	176.00
Voucher No. 343		
Rental on 3 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 3-30 to 4-30-39.....	12.00	
Rental on 3 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 4-30 to 5-10-39.....	3.90	15.90
Voucher No. 344		
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 4-8 to 5-10-39	4.26	
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 4-15 to 5-10-39	3.25	
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 4-4 to 5-4-39	4.00	
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 5-4 to 5-10-39 .....	.69	12.20
Voucher No. 345		
Rental on 44 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 4-10 to 5-10-39.....	176.00	176.00
Voucher No. 469		
Rental on 43 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 5-10 to 6-21-39.....	239.08	239.08
Voucher No. 470		
Rental on 6 Underwood typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 5-10 to 6-21-39.....	33.36	
Rental on 1 Underwood typewriter @ \$4.00 per month 5-10 to 6-1-39.....	2.86	36.22
Postal Telegraph Cable Company		
Voucher No. 5		
Telegrams sent by Senate Committee, September 1938	3.22	3.22
Voucher No. 74		
Statement account for January 1939.....	9.28	9.28
Voucher No. 172		
Statement account for February 1939.....	3.50	3.50
Voucher No. 216		
Statement account for March 1939.....	.62	.62
Voucher No. 312		
Statement account for April 1939.....	3.11	3.11
Voucher No. 429		
Statement account for May 1939.....	3.95	3.95
Voucher No. 461		
Statement account for June 1939.....	3.54	3.54
Powell, Eldon, Inc.		
Voucher No. 120		
Void		
Voucher No. 221		
1 spray	5.00	5.00
Voucher No. 294		
1 spray	15.63	15.63

Railway Express Co.**Voucher No. 8**

For packages sent from State Senate 12-7-38 to 12-20-38; 11-27-38 and 10-3-38 through 10-13-38	9.53	9.53
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Voucher No. 9

For packages sent from State Senate Sept. 30, 1938	3.23	3.23
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Voucher No. 13

For packages sent from State Senate 12-19 and 12-21-38	1.04	1.04
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Voucher No. 87

For packages sent from State Senate 1-4-39 through 1-31-39	16.71	16.71
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Voucher No. 88

For packages sent from State Senate 1-9-39 and 1-13-39	7.99	7.99
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Voucher No. 173

For packages sent from State Senate 2-2-39 and 2-23-39	3.32	3.32
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Voucher No. 245

For packages sent from State Senate 3-15-39 and 3-23-39	1.49	1.49
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Voucher No. 340

For packages sent from State Senate 4-20-39 and 4-26-39	2.11	2.11
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Voucher No. 426

For packages sent from State Senate 5-1-39 through 5-30-39	14.86	14.86
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Voucher No. 502

For packages sent from State Senate 6-1 through 6-26-39	87.03	87.03
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Rankin Mfg. Co.**Voucher No. 83**

Furnishing material and recovering three mat- tresses, two in ladies' lounge, and inner of- fice; furnishing material and two extra covers for each mattress, and six (6) slip covers for pillows; and furnishing one new feather pillow	27.50	27.50
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Record Chronicle Co., Inc.**Voucher No. 332**

4 months subscription to the Denton Record Chronicle	2.00	2.00
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Voucher No. 458

Subscription Record Chronicle May 10 to June 21, 193965	.65
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Renfro Drug Co.**Voucher No. 58**

2 water coolers	4.00	4.00
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Voucher No. 118

1 gallon denatured alcohol.....	.85	.85
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Voucher No. 299

1 gallon denatured alcohol.....	.75	.75
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Remington-Rand, Inc.**Voucher No. 155**

Rental three Remington typewriters, Feb. 10 to March 10, 1939	12.00	12.00
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Voucher No. 257

Rental on 4 Remington typewriters March 10, 1939 to April 10, 1939.....	16.00	16.00
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Voucher No. 346		
Rental on 4 Remington typewriters April 10, 1939 to May 10, 1939.....	16.00	16.00
Voucher No. 464		
Rental on 4 Remington typewriters May 10 to June 10, 1939	16.00	16.00
Richardson & Co., W. H.		
Voucher No. 23		
5 dust pans .....	.98	.98
Voucher No. 147		
6 No. 9706 casters	6.90	6.90
Rutherford, Fanny Blake		
Voucher No. 451		
Rental two Underwood typewriters 5½ months @ \$4.00 per month	44.00	44.00
Railway Express Agency		
Voucher No. 507		
Packages forwarded for account of the Senate June 1st through June 21st.....	18.39	18.39
San Antonio Drug Company		
Voucher No. 27		
72 bottles shoe polish	6.18	6.18
Voucher No. 409		
1 gallon denatured alcohol.....	.60	.60
San Antonio Paper Company		
Voucher No. 161		
Janitor supplies	10.50	10.50
Voucher No. 301		
Janitor supplies	10.50	10.50
Voucher No. 427		
Janitor supplies	15.79	15.79
Scarbrough, E. M., & Sons		
Voucher No. 165		
Overhauling and greasing Hoover cleaner.....	2.85	2.85
Voucher No. 251		
Purchase of one Hoover cleaner and tools...	81.60	81.60
Schumacher Co., The		
Voucher No. 19		
4 cases toilet seat covers.....	39.80	39.80
Voucher No. 32		
24 balls twine, one roll wrapping paper.....	5.54	5.54
Voucher No. 162		
4 cases toilet paper	11.64	11.64
Voucher No. 220		
10,000 No. 154 drinking cups.....	18.00	18.00
Voucher No. 300		
1 case 5000 drinking cups.....	8.90	8.90
Voucher No. 351		
2 cases 10,000 drinking cups.....	17.00	17.00
Voucher No. 356		
1 roll wrapping paper	3.26	
2 cases domino matches.....	6.96	10.22
Voucher No. 406		
48 balls twine	5.71	5.71
Voucher No. 506		
3 cases drinking cups	26.10	26.10
Sherman Democrat, The		
Voucher No. 330		
Subscription Jan. 15 to May 15.....	2.60	2.60
Voucher No. 471		
Subscription May 15 to June 21st, 1939.....	.80	.80

Smith, Olivia

Voucher No. 50

Rental 1 L. C. Smith typewriter October 27, 1938 to January 17, 1939.....	10.67	10.67
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Voucher No. 159

Rental 1 L. C. Smith typewriter January 17 to March 17, 1939	8.00	8.00
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Voucher No. 359

Rental 1 L. C. Smith typewriter March 17 to May 18, 1939	8.00	8.00
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Southwestern Bell Telephone Company

Voucher No. 6

Exchange service December 1938 telephone 2-5215 and toll service November 1938.....	46.50	46.50
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Voucher No. 30

Exchange service January 1939 telephone 2-5215 and toll service November 29, 1938, December 1st, 1938, through December 28, 1938	47.85	47.85
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Voucher No. 44

Exchange service telephone number 2-4535 for January 1939, toll service November 29 and 30, December 1st through December 31, 1938	33.85	33.85
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Voucher No. 101

Exchange service February 1939, telephones numbers 8-2501, 2-4535, 2-5215, 8-2644, 2-6313, and toll service for January 1939...	1,253.38	1,253.38
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Voucher No. 174

Exchange service March 1939, on telephones numbers 2-4535, 2-5215, 2-6313, 8-2501, 8-2644, and toll service February 1939.....	1,270.60	1,270.60
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Voucher No. 275

Exchange service April 1939, telephones numbers 2-4535, 2-5215, 2-6313, 8-2501, 8-2644, and toll services March 1939.....	1,184.57	1,184.57
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Voucher No. 347

Exchange service May 1939, telephones numbers 2-4535, 2-5215, 2-6313, 8-2501, 8-2644, and toll services April 1939.....	1,100.03	1,100.03
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Voucher No. 459

Exchange service June 1939, on telephones numbers 2-4535, 2-5215, 2-6313, 8-2501, 8-2644, and toll services May 1939.....	1,299.62	1,299.62
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Voucher No. 478

Toll services June 1st, 1939, through June 21st 1939	672.37	672.37
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Southwestern Paper Company

Voucher No. 20

10,000 drinking cups	9.00	9.00
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Voucher No. 125

10,000 drinking cups	9.00	9.00
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Voucher No. 385

5000 drinking cups	4.50	4.50
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Stafford, Inc., S. S.

Voucher No. 24

132 boxes carbon paper.....	56.64	56.64
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Voucher No. 66

132 boxes carbon paper	56.64	56.64
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Voucher No. 223

50 boxes carbon paper	23.50	23.50
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Voucher No. 272

50 boxes carbon paper.....	19.00	19.00
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Voucher No. 273		
50 boxes carbon paper	23.50	23.50
Stockton, Vance		
Voucher No. 435		
Rental on 2 typewriters 5½ months @ \$4.00 per month	44.00	44.00
Swann-Schulle Furniture Co.		
Voucher No. 59		
6½ yds. linoleum	13.65	13.65
Voucher No. 60		
8 No. 44 oak posture chairs.....	77.20	77.20
Voucher No. 500		
2 belts for Hoover cleaner.....	.50	.50
Steck Co., The		
Voucher No. 11		
1 rubber stamp	1.87	1.87
Voucher No. 12		
Letterheads and envelopes	15.00	
Expanding envelopes	18.50	
Liberty storage boxes	12.18	
1000 bifold envelopes	7.00	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes	88.50	
Letterheads and envelopes	14.50	
Letterheads and envelopes	59.00	
Letterheads and envelopes	59.00	332.68
Voucher No. 17		
1 pocket map of Texas.....	.40	
1 pencil sharpener	1.75	2.15
Voucher No. 28		
Letterheads and envelopes	36.00	36.00
Voucher No. 39		
12 sets guides	3.48	
24 sets guides	24.12	
Rental on Royal typewriter Oct. 4, 1938 to Jan. 10, 1939	13.00	
Rental on 27 typewriters Jan. 10, 1939 to Feb. 10, 1939	108.00	
9 two line rubber stamps.....	3.42	145.06
(An error in addition is corrected for above amounts in voucher 116.)		
Voucher No. 40		
3 doz. No. 10 clips.....	1.14	
1 doz. No. 20 clips.....	.57	
3 doz. No. 40 clips.....	3.39	
10M No. 1 clips.....	2.90	
10M No. 3 clips.....	2.90	
6 doz. clamps No. 1.....	.60	
6 boxes clamps No. 2.....	.90	
1M clamps No. 3.....	.48	
6 doz. composition books.....	9.86	
6 doz. No. 1087 typewriter erasers.....	3.53	
6 doz. No. 6587 typewriter erasers.....	3.53	
3 doz. No. 110 typewriter erasers.....	.93	
1 doz. giant letter files.....	8.98	
1 doz. giant legal files.....	6.58	
1 doz. box files, letter size.....	5.88	
6 No. 12 liberty storage boxes.....	6.72	
12 boxes No. 2004 gummed labels.....	1.01	
24 boxes No. 2 gummed index tabs.....	2.02	
12 boxes No. 2 reinforcements.....	.67	
24 No. 35 files	10.58	

36 key chains	1.56	
24 2 inch rings	2.40	
24 3 inch rings	2.40	
4 3310 book covers	3.96	
2 1910 book covers	1.76	
6 612 book covers	3.18	
6 doz. No. 4034 pads.....	1.80	
4 doz. No. 4039 pads.....	3.60	
1 doz. No. 4039½ pads.....	1.68	
1 repair on error-no.....	1.00	
500 No. 10 envelopes.....	.92	
5000 index cards	3.35	
1000 ms. covers	3.50	
49 file pockets	9.03	
8 record books	9.39	
2 gross No. 2 pencils.....	6.76	
1 gross red pencils.....	5.64	
12 No. 2 pencil leads.....	.52	
3 doz. pyramid pins.....	4.17	
24 pr. 10 inch office shears.....	10.98	
12 3 inch sponge bowls.....	1.56	
24 sponges	1.88	
12 bottles 2 oz. TW oil.....	1.72	
12 No. 1226 star type cleaner.....	2.76	
12 rolls mending tape.....	1.95	
12 deep letter trays.....	4.50	
12 shallow letter trays.....	3.12	
24 sets guides	24.12	
4 doz. 2 oz. ink.....	4.80	
2 doz. 4 oz. ink.....	3.84	
4 quarts ink	3.24	
400 metal clasp envelopes.....	3.75	208.01
Voucher No. 51		
Void		
Voucher No. 52		
1 pocket map of Texas.....	.50	
1 Bates refill.....	.42	
6 Hotchkiss staplers	12.60	
1 set rubber keys.....	1.94	
1 desk pad.....	1.07	
1 No. 52 stapler.....	2.10	
5000 staples .....	.75	
12 staplers	25.20	
12 boxes staples.....	4.80	
1 stationery cabinet	2.35	
12 No. 4138 pads.....	1.50	
1 rubber stamp .....	.52	
12 calendar pads and stands.....	6.48	
1 No. 3 calendar pad.....	.27	60.50
Voucher No. 56		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	118.00
Voucher No. 57		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	30.00	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	15.00	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	
1 lifetime desk set.....	10.00	114.00
Voucher No. 68		
2 rubber stamps	1.04	
3 rubber stamps	3.25	
2 rubber stamps	1.50	5.79

Voucher No. 69		
1 chair cushion	1.70	
500 envelopes	1.03	
5000 8½x11 copy sheets.....	7.20	
1 repair on error-no.....	1.75	
12 Pinnacle typewriter ribbons.....	9.00	20.68
Voucher No. 70		
3000 envelopes	3.30	
500 envelopes .....	.63	
30 reams 8½x11 canary radio bond.....	10.80	
20 reams 7½x10½ canary radio bond.....	7.20	
20 reams 8½x11 onion skin	7.00	28.93
Voucher No. 71		
12 box files legal.....	10.81	
1 sanitary moistener.....	.93	
6 calendar pads.....	2.70	
12 No. 62 ink stands.....	11.16	
1 set TW keys.....	1.94	
1 doz. 6 inch wire baskets.....	4.50	
1 sanitary moistener .....	.93	32.97
Voucher No. 78		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	88.50
Voucher No. 79		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	88.50	88.50
Voucher No. 80		
24 sets guides.....	24.12	24.12
Voucher No. 81		
25 reams 8½x11 Radio bond.....	9.00	
20 reams 7½x10½ Radio bond.....	7.20	
25 reams 8½x14 onion skin.....	18.50	
20 reams 8½x11 onion skin.....	11.80	
5000 index cards	3.35	49.85
Voucher No. 82		
25 reams 8½x11 Ham. bond.....	10.00	
20 reams 8½x14 Ham. bond.....	10.20	
36 19x24 desk blotters.....	1.51	
10,000 index cards	7.30	
6 boxes manuscript covers.....	2.10	
24 reams 8½x14 onion skin.....	17.76	
12 reams 8½x11 onion skin.....	7.08	55.95
Voucher No. 91		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	30.00	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	15.00	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	133.50
Voucher No. 92		
Six rolls No. 470 labels.....	1.98	
Six S-612 ring binders.....	3.18	
Six colored pencil sets.....	3.60	
Repair to error-no.....	1.00	
Two Panama chair cushions.....	3.40	13.16
Voucher No. 93		
500 blank guides	3.58	
10 boxes manuscript covers.....	3.50	
1 gross No. 4034 pads.....	3.25	
2 gross No. 42 pen points.....	2.10	
1 gross No. 596 steno pencils.....	3.38	
6 Liberty No. 12 storage boxes.....	6.72	22.53
Voucher No. 94		
7 No. 283 TW desks.....	227.50	
6 No. 532 TW tables.....	35.70	263.20

Voucher No. 95		
6 No. 2 stamp pads.....	1.44	
6 bottles No. 62 stamp pad ink.....	1.62	
1 gross No. 4034 pads.....	3.25	
5 Jumbo Gem calendar stands.....	2.25	
1 doz. Gem calendar pads.....	6.48	
4 S-110 leather indexes.....	1.40	
2 S-112 leather indexes.....	.80	
4 Y&E perforators.....	8.60	
6 No. 6-a wire staplers.....	12.60	
12 boxes 2-a wire staplers.....	4.80	
1 No. 52 calendar pad.....	.50	43.74
Voucher No. 96		
3 rubber stamps	2.64	2.64
Voucher No. 99		
25 No. 4526 expansion envelopes.....	3.53	
24 No. 4138 pads	3.00	
12 No. 62 letter baskets	3.12	
12 No. 158 scissors 12 inches.....	7.28	
1 No. 503 chair cushion.....	2.52	19.45
Voucher No. 100		
24 No. 35 card index trays.....	10.58	
12 No. 51 ink wells.....	16.80	
3 doz. No. 791 copying pencils.....	1.29	
1 doz. No. 12 Liberty file boxes.....	12.18	
6 doz. No. 866 red pencils.....	2.82	
6 doz. No. 865 blue pencils.....	2.82	
6 boxes RF staples.....	5.46	
6 doz. composition books.....	9.87	
6 giant legal file boxes.....	5.40	
2 doz. sponges	1.88	
1 doz. boxes No. 241 thumb tacks.....	1.32	
6 doz. No. 6587 erasers.....	3.53	
1 doz. cellulose tape	9.60	83.55
Voucher No. 102		
6 doz. No. 4039 pads.....	5.40	
6 doz. No. 4039½ pads	9.00	
1 Amco dater	3.75	18.15
Voucher No. 103		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	73.50	73.50
Voucher No. 104		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	59.00
Voucher No. 105		
1 No. 9 record book, 150 pages.....	.87	
1 No. 170 stationery cabinet	2.35	
1 No. 130 stationery tray.....	1.41	
24 letter openers	3.84	
24 No. 34 waste baskets.....	14.08	
1 No. 520 calendar pad.....	.79	23.34
Voucher No. 106		
10,000 No. 1 clips	2.90	
2 doz. Pyramid pins.....	2.78	
1 gross No. 4034 pads.....	3.25	
1 doz. 101 mending tape.....	1.95	
3 doz. 2 inch rings.....	3.60	
3 doz. 3 inch rings.....	3.60	
1 No. 3913-c wire basket.....	4.69	
2 No. 1865 blotter pads.....	2.14	
1 sanitary moistener.....	.93	
1 No. S-2556 ring binder.....	.79	
1 gross No. 2 pencils.....	3.38	
1 gross steno pencils.....	3.38	33.39

Voucher No. 107		
4 sets TW keys	7.76	7.76
Voucher No. 116		
6 quire No. 960 stencils.....	18.90	
5000 index cards	3.35	
4 sets TW keys	7.76	
120 No. 26 gold notarial seals.....	1.02	
To correct error in addition Voucher No. 39 which shows total \$145.06, whereas correct total should have been \$152.02.....	6.96	37.99
Voucher No. 117		
2 rubber stamps	1.04	
5000 8½x11 newsprint	1.70	
5000 8½x14 newsprint	2.72	
5000 4x9½ white blotters	11.68	
5000 index cards	3.35	
5000 manuscript covers	15.00	
10 reams legal onion skin.....	7.40	
10 reams letter onion skin.....	5.90	48.79
Voucher No. 134		
400 metal clasp envelopes.....	2.56	
6 error-no copy holders.....	124.20	126.76
Voucher No. 135		
6 No. 2 calendar pads.....	1.62	
12 boxes No. 2 reinforcements.....	.67	
1 gross No. 2 pencils.....	3.38	
1 gross No. 42 pen points.....	1.05	
3 doz. sponge bowls.....	4.68	
12 boxes 2001 gummed labels.....	1.01	
3 doz. key chains.....	1.56	
1000 dlb labels .....	.72	14.69
Voucher No. 136		
100 No. 175 guides.....	.91	
5000 folder labels.....	3.58	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	72.50	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	23.50	100.49
Voucher No. 137		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	43.50	
24 desk blotters	1.01	
5000 index cards	3.40	
5000 index cards	3.25	51.26
Voucher No. 138		
5000 index cards	3.29	
50 reams legal mimeo.....	25.50	
25 reams letter mimeo.....	10.00	38.79
Voucher No. 139		
650 clasp envelopes	3.88	
6 quire No. 96 stencils.....	18.90	
6 rolls tape	1.02	
6 quires stencils.....	18.90	42.70
Voucher No. 160		
Rent on mimeograph Feb. 7 to March 7th.....	30.00	30.00
Voucher No. 164		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	46.00	46.00
Voucher No. 178		
50 reams legal mimeo.....	25.50	
50 reams legal mimeo.....	25.50	
40 reams legal onion skin.....	14.00	65.00
Voucher No. 179		
24 reams legal onion skin.....	17.76	
1 stationery tray	1.41	
Letterheads and envelopes.....	15.00	34.17

Voucher No. 180		
24 No. 35 index trays.....	10.58	
1 S-110 index .....	.35	
500 S-110 loose leaf sheets	1.32	
2 gross No. 2 pencils.....	6.76	
1 doz. paper weights.....	1.82	
2 doz. expansion envelopes.....	5.50	
1 calendar pad .....	.50	26.83
Voucher No. 181		
12 bottles Scat type cleaner.....	7.80	
6 doz. No. 1087 erasers.....	3.53	
6 doz. 6587 erasers	3.53	
36 No. 40 clamps.....	3.39	
6 No. 6-a Hotchkiss staplers.....	12.60	30.85
Voucher No. 182		
3 No. S-610 ring binders.....	1.44	
1 No. S-3010 binder	1.38	
1000 loose leaf sheets.....	3.78	
2 300 page record books.....	1.26	8.46
Voucher No. 183		
12 boxes staples	4.80	
6 boxes staples	5.46	
6 Jumbo Gem stands.....	2.70	
1 gross blue pencils.....	5.64	
1 gross red pencils	5.64	24.24
Voucher No. 194		
500 Carpaco envelopes .....	.77	
6 quire stencils	18.90	19.67
Voucher No. 195		
Letterheads and envelopes	46.00	46.00
Voucher No. 196		
1 rubber stamp	2.03	
1 rubber stamp .....	.63	
1 500 page record book	1.79	
6 quire stencils	18.90	23.35
Voucher No. 197		
500 blank guides	3.58	3.58
Voucher No. 198		
12 TW brushes	1.56	
5 doz. No. 4039½ pads	7.50	
5 doz. No. 4034 pads.....	1.50	
3 doz. sponges.....	2.82	13.38
Voucher No. 199		
12 Liberty storage boxes No. 12.....	12.18	
1 Jumbo Gem calendar pad.....	.45	
20 reams legal bond	10.20	22.83
Voucher No. 200		
1 Bates refill .....	.42	
25 reams letter canary paper.....	9.50	
25 reams legal bond.....	12.75	
20 reams letter canary.....	7.60	
20 reams letter bond	8.00	
25 reams legal bond.....	12.75	51.02
Voucher No. 201		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	147.50	147.50
Voucher No. 202		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	102.50	102.50
Voucher No. 203		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	72.50	72.50
Voucher No. 204		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50
Voucher No. 205		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50

Voucher No. 207		
500 No. 153 guides.....	3.60	
50 reams legal mimeo.	25.50	
200 clasp envelopes	2.38	
200 No. 90 clasp envelopes.....	.93	
5000 index cards	3.35	35.76
Voucher No. 208		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50
Voucher No. 209		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	59.00
Voucher No. 210		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	75.00	75.00
Voucher No. 211		
6 loose leaf binders.....	3.17	
10 packages fillers	3.78	
6 indexes	2.38	
2 gross pencils	6.76	
1 chair cushion	3.75	19.84
Voucher No. 212		
2 copy holders	41.40	
3 sets TW keys	5.82	
1 work distributor	2.92	
1 set TW keys	1.94	52.08
Voucher No. 228		
24 Pyramid pins	2.78	
12 index trays	5.29	
12 boxes reinforcements.....	.67	
12 boxes labels	1.01	
12 boxes labels	1.01	
6 letter files	4.50	
25 No. 4526 envelopes	3.53	
50 No. 4035 envelopes.....	8.23	
50 No. 4055 envelopes.....	9.17	36.19
Voucher No. 229		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	59.00
Voucher No. 230		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	7.50	
5000 index cards	3.35	10.85
Voucher No. 231		
10,000 No. 1 Gem clips	2.90	
36 No. 20 clamps	1.71	
36 No. 10 clamps	1.14	
6 stapling machines	12.60	
36 2 inch rings	2.02	
36 3 inch rings	3.60	
6 doz erasers	3.53	27.50
Voucher No. 232		
2 ledger daters	1.20	
6 ring binders	5.28	
6 ring binders	3.18	
10 packages No. 110 fillers.....	2.64	12.30
Voucher No. 233		
12 rulers, 12 inch.....	1.30	
12 rulers, 15 inch.....	1.63	
12 rulers, 18 inch.....	2.16	
12 8 inch shears.....	8.72	
1 gross No. 4034 pads.....	3.25	
2 gross No. 2 pencils.....	6.76	
10 boxes reinforcements.....	.70	
6 stamp pads	1.44	
5000 wire staples .....	.75	26.71
Voucher No. 234		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	207.75	207.75

Voucher No. 235		
6 flexible arm lamps	4.50	4.50
Voucher No. 236		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50
Voucher No. 237		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50
Voucher No. 238		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	30.00	30.00
Voucher No. 239		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	59.00
Voucher No. 252		
6 quire stencils	18.90	18.90
Voucher No. 253		
30 reams letter bond.....	12.00	
20 reams letter onion skin.....	11.80	
20 reams legal onion skin.....	14.80	
20 reams letter canary.....	7.60	46.20
Voucher No. 254		
1 300 page record book.....	1.34	
1 doz. tubes pencil leads.....	.52	1.86
Voucher No. 255		
Rental on 44 typewriters @ \$4.00 per month 3-10 to 4-10-39	176.00	
Rental on 1 typewriter 2-28 to 3-10-39 @ \$4.00 per month	2.00	
Rental on 1 typewriter @ \$4.00 per month from 2-21 to 3-10-39	4.00	182.00
Voucher No. 256		
Rent on mimeograph 3-7 to 4-7.....	30.00	30.00
Voucher No. 264		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50
Voucher No. 265		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	44.50	44.50
Voucher No. 266		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	15.00	15.00
Voucher No. 267		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	30.00	30.00
Voucher No. 268		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	14.50	14.50
Voucher No. 269		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	14.75	14.75
Voucher No. 270		
1 error-no copy holder.....	20.70	
1 box pinnacle TW carbon.....	3.15	
1 No. 272 hammer punch.....	11.25	35.10
Voucher No. 278		
6 file boards	1.18	
4 doz. 2 oz. ink.....	4.80	
2 doz. 4 oz. ink.....	3.84	
12 bottles inky eraser.....	3.48	13.30
Voucher No. 279		
6 stylis	1.50	1.50
Voucher No. 280		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50
Voucher No. 281		
6 quire stencils.....	18.90	18.90
Voucher No. 282		
1 gross steno pencils.....	3.38	
5000 gummed labels	3.60	
6 doz. composition books.....	9.87	
12 boxes reinforcements .....	.67	
60 3 inch rings	6.00	23.52

Voucher No. 283		
3 doz. 3 inch rings	3.60	
3 doz. 2 inch rings	2.02	
4 loose leaf binders	3.52	
1000 loose leaf sheets	2.64	
1 doz. bottle Scat cleaner	7.80	
1 doz. legal file boxes	10.81	
1 doz. letter file boxes	8.98	
12 boxes staples	10.56	
10 boxes labels	1.00	50.93
Voucher No. 285		
1000 index cards68	
5000 index cards	3.35	4.03
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50 reams legal mimeo	25.50	32.50
Voucher No. 287		
10,000 index cards	6.79	6.79
Voucher No. 302		
6 No. 612 ring binders	3.18	3.18
Voucher No. 303		
12 No. 12 Liberty storage files	12.18	
10,000 index cards	6.70	
2 boxes gold notarial seals .....	.68	19.56
Voucher No. 309		
600 clasp envelopes	5.59	5.59
Voucher No. 310		
50 reams legal onion skin	17.50	17.50
Voucher No. 313		
10 boxes Hotchkiss staples	4.00	
12 bottles Scat cleaner	7.80	
1 error-no copy holder	20.70	32.50
Voucher No. 314		
12 No. 12 Liberty file boxes	12.18	
1 rubber stamp	1.38	13.56
Voucher No. 315		
500 Carpaco envelopes	1.85	1.85
Voucher No. 335		
2 gross No. 2 pencils	6.76	
3 doz. copying pencils	1.29	
1 gross red pencils	5.64	
1 gross erasers	7.05	
1 gross No. 4034 pads	3.25	
10,000 No. 1 clips	2.90	
10,000 No. 3 clips	2.90	
5000 No. 13 staples	1.30	
5000 No. 13 staples	1.65	
30,000 No. 2-a staples	2.55	
60 3 inch rings	6.00	41.29
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Rent on mimeograph 4-7 to 5-7	30.00	30.00
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4-10 to 5-10	168.00	
Rent on 1 typewriter 3-25 to 5-10	6.00	
Rent on 1 typewriter 3-28 to 5-10	6.00	
Rent on 1 typewriter 3-20 to 5-10	7.00	187.00
Voucher No. 350		
6 boxes gold notary seals	2.04	
1 No. 9 record book .....	.87	2.91
Voucher No. 354		
5000 sheets marginal ruled paper	5.70	5.70

Voucher No. 371		
36 sponges	2.82	
2 gross No. 2 pencils.....	6.76	
1 gross steno pencils.....	3.38	
12 No. 12 Liberty storage boxes.....	12.18	25.14
Voucher No. 372		
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10,000 index cards	6.70	
30 reams legal bond.....	15.30	
30 reams legal onion skin.....	22.20	
20 reams letter onion skin.....	5.40	49.60
Voucher No. 374		
10 boxes No. 268 marginal ruled paper.....	5.70	5.70
Voucher No. 375		
6 quires stencils	18.90	
12 bottles correction fluid.....	5.94	
10 lbs. mimeo. ink.....	22.50	47.34
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6 Bates perforators.....	5.88	5.88
Voucher No. 377		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	14.50	14.50
Voucher No. 378		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	14.50	14.50
Voucher No. 379		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	14.50	14.50
Voucher No. 380		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	14.50	14.50
Voucher No. 381		
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150 reams legal mimeo.	76.50	76.50
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12 boxes index tabs.....	1.01	
1 gross No. 3 pencils.....	3.38	
36 key chains	1.56	
10,000 No. 1 clips	2.90	
10 boxes gummed labels.....	1.00	
10 boxes gummed labels.....	1.00	
2 gross No. 2 pencils.....	6.76	
1 gross copying pencils.....	4.70	22.98
Voucher No. 388		
6 No. 612 loose leaf note books.....	3.18	
12 boxes Hotchkiss staples.....	4.80	
4 doz. pen holders.....	1.24	
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2 gross No. 2 pencils.....	6.76	28.16
Voucher No. 389		
3 No. 13 stapling machines.....	14.64	
5000 No. 13 staples.....	1.65	
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1 pen rack42	
6 letter openers96	20.23
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Voucher No. 395		
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Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	59.00
Voucher No. 398		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	59.00
Voucher No. 399		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	29.50	29.50
Voucher No. 400		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	59.00	59.00
Voucher No. 401		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	67.00	67.00
Voucher No. 402		
1 gross No. 4034 pads.....	3.25	
6 doz. No. 4039 pads.....	5.40	
6 doz. No. 4039½ pads.....	9.00	
6 doz. No. 4138 pads.....	9.00	
12 boxes No. 1 clamps.....	1.33	
12 boxes No. 2 clamps.....	1.71	
12 boxes No. 3 clamps.....	5.76	
12 rolls mending tape.....	1.95	37.40
Voucher No. 403		
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1 board clip87	1.71
Voucher No. 404		
600 clasp envelopes	5.58	5.58
Voucher No. 405		
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20 reams letter bond	8.00	
20 reams legal bond	10.20	43.70
Voucher No. 410		
2 rubber stamps	1.04	1.04
Voucher No. 412		
15 boxes manuscript covers.....	5.25	
20 reams 8½x11 canary.....	7.60	12.85
Voucher No. 413		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	36.25	36.25
Voucher No. 414		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	60.00	60.00
Voucher No. 415		
Letterheads and envelopes.....	147.50	147.50
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